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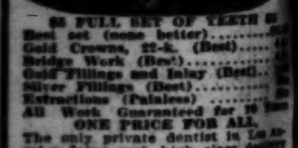
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CARRANZA BREAK WITH PRESIDENT WILSON INDICATED.

Germany Ready to Grant Better Terms—London More Optimistic.

Protection.

SAFEGUARD IN TARIFF.

A British-German Combine Feared.

Financier Warns United States to Raise the Rates Against Both Powers.

Barron Insists Prosperity will Go on Even if the War Stops Today.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Clarence W. Barron, proprietor of the Boston News Bureau, Wall Street Journal, and Philadelphia News Bureau, one of the world's greatest financial authorities, whose utterances on the European war as well as finance have been widely quoted, declares in an interview here that peace will not hurt America or American business. The humming bird of prosperity will not flit from America's shores should the dove of peace settle in Europe. He qualifies this, however, by adding that if the peace were to be an assured, lasting peace and America did by meddling interference create a feeling of resentment among the belligerents, that would drive the Entente and Central Powers into a trade combination against the United States or even into warfare against this country.

Mr. Barron is frank in saying that he sees no hope of immediate peace. He does not believe there will be any immediate business depression here, or throwing thousands out of work by sudden stoppage of munitions plants, for he predicts the immediate transfer of munitions makers to other industrial pursuits, to fill orders that have been refused while the plants were choked up with war orders.

"A long war is not to the business advantage of ourselves or of Europe," says Mr. Barron. "Europe would be too much impoverished and having all the guns, there would be too much temptation to quarrel with our prices, or to come over and take some of the gold they have paid us.

"Crops of the world are short and

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AN INKY FLAVOR IN YOUR COFFEE.

The Danger of it Almost Appalls the Grocers of New York.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Danger of an ink flavor in coffee settled by eggshells was advanced as one reason against stamping "cold storage" on eggs in an argument here today before the Supreme Court on the application of John J. Dillon, State Commissioner of Foods and Markets, for an injunction against selling eggs not so marked. Another argument was that the individuality of eggs as to shape made the labelling of each one impracticable. The arguments were presented by grocerymen's counsel.

THE WORLD'S NEWS—THE HEART OF IT—IN TODAY'S TIMES.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) The Peace Movement. (2) The German Advance in Rumania. (3) Congress. (4) Mexico. (5) The Bopp Trial. (6) Congress of Scientists.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Partly cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., northeast; velocity, 5 miles. Thermometer, highest, 49 deg.; lowest, 36 deg. Forecast: Fair Thursday, increasing cloudiness, continued cold; killing frost Thursday morning. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. Civic leaders enthusiastically indorsed the action of the Mayor and Council in inviting the proposed world peace conference to this city.

A woman "tipped" the police to the rendezvous of the auto bandits and detectives kept a shotgun vigil over a bullet-scarred car and bloody bandages.

A pretty Los Angeles girl was arrested on suspicion of being the decoy of highwaymen.

Three more cigar bombs were found, making six out of twenty-five altogether. The I. W. W. are believed responsible.

Baron Shibusawa, the "Morgan of Japan," informed Chamber of Commerce officials of his retirement from business to work for international peace.

Cornell Allen and a social leader of the South were married in Nashville.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena has everything in readiness for the Tournament of Roses. Dr. Lockwood chosen grand marshal.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Break in power deprives Nevada cities of heat and light.

Baron Von Brincken was on the stand in the neutrality trial in San Francisco.

Rain is predicted for the South today.

GENERAL EASTERN. Health insurance urged upon nation.

Boston woman gets spirit message from late Prof. Munsterberg.

Scientists meeting in New York favor the adoption of the metric system.

Charles Batron, noted financial authority, predicts that prosperity will continue even if the war ends suddenly.

WASHINGTON. National bank resources gain four billions in two years.

Federation of Labor seeking repeal of Adamson law.

One of the farm loan banks will be located at Berkeley, Cal.

Railroad managers and union heads confer today on the Adamson law.

The Argentina military system may be adopted for the United States army.

MEXICO. It is reported Gen. Obregon will come north to take command of the campaign against Villa.

Villistas are reported to have been beaten at a battle near La Jarita.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: Demobilization of the Greek army.

Comparative quiet in Macedonia.

Kaiser to offer modified peace terms.

Russians now admit peace is coming soon.

Bombardments on the Italian front.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION. The net of the Teutonic Allies apparently is fast closing in upon Braila, Rumania's oil and grain center on the Danube. Having taken Filipechti, thirty miles to the southwest, Field Marshal Von Mackensen's troops have now captured the railroad town of Rimnik-Sarat, relatively the same distance to the east, while the guns of the Dobrudja army are still hammering, and with some success, the Russo-Rumanians at the bridgehead of Matchin, on the east bank of the Danube, opposite Braila. Prior to the fall of Rimnik-Sarat the Teutonic Allies defeated the Russians on a front of ten and a half miles southwest of the town, while the Teutonic Danube army captured several fortified villages, according to the Berlin War Office. Petrograd admits that the Russians and Rumanians have been forced to fall back north of Magura, but says elsewhere the invaders were defeated with heavy casualties.

President Wilson, it appears, is about to reap the harvest of his "watchful waiting" policy toward Mexico. Statements have been made in Washington and hints dropped that indicate the administration is preparing the public mind for some sort of a sensation with reference to Mexico. The danger of a break of relations between Carranza and Wilson is said to be real.

HINT TO READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all, or the greater part, of the more important news is to be found on the first page, which cannot contain it. Consult the Index and the Summary, then read the entire paper—and thus get all the news of the day.

"Daemmerung."

TO EVACUATE BELGIUM AND GIVE UP POLAND.

Kaiser Wants Indemnities of the Allies to Offset His Own.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Germany is ready to grant greatly modified peace terms, according to information obtained in official circles here tonight.

President Wilson, it is stated, has been advised to this effect by Mr. Gerard, American Ambassador to Germany, who had a conference with the Kaiser yesterday.

Although this information emanates from administration sources, neither the White House nor Secretary of State Lansing would discuss the cablegrams received today from Mr. Gerard.

THE MODIFICATIONS.

The chief modification in this version of the latest German peace terms is the abandonment by Berlin of the proposal for the establishment of Poland and Lithuania as independent kingdoms and the proposal to pay a Belgian indemnity offset by allied indemnities.

President Wilson and Secretary Lansing are seeking some plan whereby a reasonably satisfactory reply may be obtained from the Allies as an offset to what they consider the disappointing answer by Germany. The evolution of a workable proposition, in their opinion, might save the day and bring to pass the desired peace conference.

SITUATION DISCUSSED.

It was with this aim in view that the President and Mr. Lansing discussed the situation for a hour at the White House this evening. It was evidently their belief that if the Entente Powers could be advised confidentially of Germany's peace terms, even in the most general manner, the basis for obtaining similar data from the Allies could be advanced, if not made certain.

Secretary Lansing laid before the President the substance of numerous conversations he has had during the last few days with neutral ministers and also suggestions brought forward by representatives of Latin-American countries.

Full information on all of the recent features of the situation were presented by the Secretary.

If the belligerent nations of Europe get together around a table the world will see an early peace. Until that is done there will be no peace.

FOR THE PUBLIC ONLY.

This statement was made tonight by one of the leading neutral diplomats:—"It is idle to talk about publishing peace terms. Both sides must continue to make maximum demands in public. Unless they do so they virtually are certain to lose the support of their own people.

"With the biggest of the big men of each warring nation, or at least big representatives of all the leading nations, gathered together in one room results would be certain to follow. I am convinced this is the one sure way to bring the terrible conflict to a close with honor to both sides and with absolute guarantee for a permanent peace.

"Of course the Entente group are in an embarrassing position. For two years their most prominent officials have been proclaiming that the enemy must be crushed. The enemy has not been crushed and there appears to be little prospect of that for years to come.

"While Allied officials continue to declare that the Central Powers are on the verge of collapse, occasionally the press reports contain statements which amount to surprising admissions of failure on the part of the Entente to accomplish any of the major objects, aside from having driven German and Austrian commerce from the seas, for which they are supposed to be fighting."

PEACE DOOR OPEN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—In spite of the wide gulf between the insistence of the Central Powers for an immediate peace conference and the forecast of a unanimous refusal by the Entente Allies to enter such a conference without knowing Germany's terms in advance, the American government believes that the negotiations in

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Contagious.

PEACE TALK INCREASES; MAIN TOPIC IN LONDON.

British are of the Opinion German Reply is a Clever Maneuver, but that in Reality Berlin is Willing to Pay Almost any Price in Reason to Secure End of the War Immediately.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Germany's reply to the President is generally regarded here as a clever maneuver to draw out the Allies' terms, but such haste to get in first may prove a boomerang. The Teutons have left an opening through which the Allies are bound to send home a crashing blow.

Opinion still holds firm here that there is really a strong demand for peace throughout Germany, coupled with a willingness to pay as big a price as the Allies stand ready to extort.

In official life, however, the fear is generally expressed that the German autocracy will not be able to force the Allies' terms upon the German people, who have been systematically deluded by the governing classes regarding the strength of the Allied nations.

Briefly, the German people are unprepared for the rude awakening. The Allies had anticipated rather a different reply from Berlin, so it is likely that the original answer had been subjected to considerable alteration.

BITTERNESS DIES OUT.

The Entente wants the support and friendship of America, and there is a feeling now that their reply will show that they were justified in expecting it. The first flare of bitterness over the President's note has gone out. The understanding between the United States and the United Kingdom is improving, the feeling of irritation is less acute, and a saner view is dominating the situation.

Peace is in the air. It is as thick as the fog enveloping London for the last two days. It is impossible to escape it. I understand that the Swiss note indorsing the stand taken by President Wilson will be followed before the week is out by similar notes from the governments of Sweden, Holland and Spain.

The joint reply of the Allies to the original German offer is now being revived, and it is considered probable that the complete document will go over within the week, France and Britain having already agreed as to its essential terms.

The reply to the President's note may follow quickly. Peace talk, it was thought, after the prorogation of Parliament and the coming of the Christmas holidays, would soon die down, but today it is a topic of more absorbing interest than ever.

The war conference of the empire, it is believed, will meet earlier than the end of February, so as to get the views of the dominions on the peace proposals.

NEW GOVERNMENT PLANS.

Meanwhile, the new government is going forward with its plans for the more vigorous prosecution of the war—plans which will be equally necessary in order to meet the problems which would arise from an early peace.

Even the newspapers which scoffed at peace are now forced by public opinion to give it the fullest consideration. By this it must not be thought that Britain is seeking peace. Five minutes' talk with the first man you meet in the street will convince you that the country is perfectly willing to fight—on the rather growing conviction, illogical though it may be, that the enemy is so anxious to reach a settlement that she stands ready to make it well worth while for the Allies to end hostilities.

Together with the measures being taken by the Lloyd George government for carrying on the war with greater efficiency comes the announcement of the extension of the British fronts in France and Macedonia, showing that this country is willing and ready to assume greater military as well as financial burdens.

Out of the uncertainty with which the situation of the Allies in Greece has been enveloped comes today authentic news from Athens to the effect that the Greeks are beginning to cry out under the pressure of the Allied blockade. Even the strongest Royalist newspapers have changed their tone, and the disbandment of the army is taking place rapidly and regularly. The persecution of the Venizelosts is also lessening, and the conditions from the Allied point of view are altogether showing a great improvement.

ON STOCK EXCHANGE.

The Stock Exchange has resumed its business after the Christmas holidays, but in a chastened mood. Speculators who have bought for a rise upon the approach of peace have been caught more than once, and consequently the plungers are

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VILLA COSTS UNITED STATES SEVENTY MILLION DOLLARS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Although Pancho Villa has cost the United States $70,000,000 already and, it is estimated, will add a burden of that much more to the treasury if the troops are kept at and beyond the border until spring, he is as much of a source of worry to the administration as at the beginning.

That the unrest in Northern Mexico is growing and that as a result the administration's attention is again drawn to the border is the substance of an unsolicited statement from the State Department today.

The importance of the State Department's announcement is heightened by a statement from Secretary of the Interior Lane, made today, that he had issued a call for a conference of the American members of the Mexican-American commission at some early date. This, it is understood, probably means before the close of this week.

In the statement the State Department made public the fact that it had information that large bandit groups are ranging at will in Northern Mexico and that the situation is such as to give the department fresh concern.

It was officially said that the department suspects Villa of getting all the arms he needs across the border—just how the department does not know, nor would it say whether conditions are worse than a few months ago, when, in a note to Carranza, it characterized them as "deplorable."

Men in touch with State Department maneuvers inclined to believe today's emphasis on Mexican affairs was intended as a preparation of the public for possible serious developments, especially as Carranza, so far as it is known, has not signed the American-Mexican withdrawal protocol.

Goal.

JUAREZ NEXT OBJECTIVE AS VILLA DRIVES NORTH.

Bandit with His Rapidly-growing Army is Said to Plan Attack on Chihuahua City at the Same Time to Establish Railroad Traffic Between the Border and Torreon. Prominent Families Leaving Saltillo.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Francisco Villa's forces are preparing to attack Chihuahua city and Juarez simultaneously in an effort to establish railroad traffic between the border and Torreon, it was said late today by a man known to be close to Villa.

A Mexican refugee who arrived here today from Torreon also affirmed that Villa was preparing to move north with a column of approximately 5000 men in order to attack Chihuahua city. He said another force of 500 Villa followers was reported to have been yesterday at the Calderon Ranch, sixty-five miles southeast of Juarez.

SKIRMISH AT CALDERON.

Skirmishing between the rebels at Calderon and the de facto troops which left Juarez yesterday for Chihuahua city, was reported here late today but could not be confirmed in Juarez. The Villa forces southeast of Juarez are commanded by Col. Manuel Ochoa and Col. Mariano Tamez, acording to a deserter who arrived at the border here yesterday, from the Calderon Ranch. He said the Villa followers were all well armed, mounted and had a plentiful supply of food. They are said to have been sent north to take Juarez as soon as Villa started his attack on the State capital.

It is not believed here that Villa has any direct tactical connection with the operations reported from the eastern military zone near San Luis Potosi, Tampico and Monterey, but Gen. Carrera Torres and the Cedilla brothers are said to be operating in that section under the banner of Villa.

The occupation of San Luis Potosi by the Villa forces Monday was reaffirmed today by men known to be close to Villa but was denied by Carranza Consul Sorriano Bravo, who said a message had been received today at Laredo, Tex., from San Luis Potosi.

Official confirmation of the occupation of Torreon by Villa forces was made today by Consul Bravo. Torreon was evacuated by Gen. Talamante and his command of 1500 de facto troops, Bravo said, because of a superior opposing force. Consul Bravo denied the rumors which have been in circulation here for the past two days that Gen. Francisco Murguia, commander at Chihuahua city, had an understanding with Villa and had made no effort to oppose Villa's recent capture of Chihuahua city.

Consul Bravo said that if Gen. Alvaro Obergon took the field in command of the Carranza forces against Villa, the Villa revolution would be short-lived.

"Villa knows Gen. Obregon's power and fears him more than any man in Mexico," he said.

The Carranza garrison at El Oro, about 100 miles southeast of Parral, revolted on December 21, looted the stores of the mining camp and then started south to join the Villa forces at Torreon, a message received today from two Americans still remaining in the camp stated.

LEAVING SALTILLO.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LAREDO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Many prominent families are leaving Saltillo, Mex., fearing an attack on the city by Villa followers who are reported in that vicinity, according to passengers arriving here today.

Clash.

BATTLE NEAR LA JARITA; VILLA BANDITS SLAIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LAREDO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Carranza troops clashed today with bandits or revolutionists near La Jarita, about thirty miles south of Nuevo Laredo, according to reports, but the outcome of the conflict and the number of men involved are not known. Surgeons and nurses were sent south from Nuevo Laredo late today.

No word officially could be obtained concerning the engagement. Villa sources in Laredo claimed to have been advised that six Carranza soldiers had been killed. Carranza adherents reported the killing of twelve bandits, without any casualties among the Constitutionalist forces. Several bandits or revolutionists, it was stated, had been captured and summarily executed, in addition to those killed on the field.

Military authorities in Nuevo Laredo tonight said they were in direct telegraphic communication with San Luis Potosi and that there was no truth in the recently-published reports that that city had fallen into Villa's hands.

Ruthless.

VILLISTAS EXECUTED BY CARRANZA BAYONETS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL PASO, Dec. 27.—A Chihuahua business man who arrived today says 150 Villistas were put to death with bayonets near Mapula by order of Gen. Francisco Murguia Carranza, commander at Chihuahua. The men who had been captured by Murguia in the battle with Jose Ynez Salazar near Mapula last week were sentenced to be shot, but finding his ammunition running low Gen. Murguia, the report says, ordered the prisoners put to death with bayonets. The shrieks of the Villistas continued as long as life was left in them. The Chihuahua merchant says all were buried in one long trench grave.

"Watchful Waiting."

RECALL OF ARREDONDO FOREBODING TROUBLE.

Mexican Plot to Rebuff Administration Suspected at Washington.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Gen. Carranza, first chief of the de facto government in Mexico, has ordered Eliseo Arredondo, Mexican Ambassador designate, to withdraw from the United States without delay.

This move, which has the aspect of a rupture of such diplomatic relations as exist between the Mexico de facto government and the United States, created consternation among administration officials, who confessed they are completely mystified by the unheralded action.

Arredondo informed his associates of the order recalling him from Washington and said that he would leave cards at the State Department tomorrow, in accordance with diplomatic usage and depart the following day for Mexico City. He said the archives of the embassy will be left in the charge of a Mexican consul temporarily on duty here.

Carranza's move increased the alarm of advisers of the President, who have begun to confess of late that Mr. Wilson's policy does not seem to be a success.

REBUFF SUSPECTED.

They fear that Carranza, after all the surrender to his demands by the President, intends to rebuff the administration in some spectacular manner.

The first chief's reply to the proposals for an agreement made in the Atlantic City protocol was to have arrived in Washington tonight. Instead, there came word that Luis Cabrera, one of the Mexican commissioners, will arrive here tomorrow to consult with Secretary of the Interior Lane, chairman of the American commission. It is supposed that he will bring the Carranza reply.

FOREBODINGS.

The chief advisers of the President on the Mexican question are a prey to forebodings that the recall of Arredondo signalizes the refusal of Carranza to agree to the protocol and that the first chief intends to proclaim that he will not continue diplomatic relations with the United States so long as American troops remain on Mexican soil. Under ordinary circumstances this would be a step in the direction of war.

Arredondo is related to Carranza. He has represented the first chief in Washington since the early stage of the present situation. When Carranza split with Villa, following the Aguascalientes "convention," Arredondo remained faithful to the first chief.

Soon after Carranza was recognized last year Arredondo was appointed Ambassador designate. In that capacity he has been given great consideration by the administration.

RANKLED.

The fact that he was never received by this government in the capacity of a full-fledged Ambassador has rankled in his breast. He has keenly resented the failure of this government to send Ambassador Fletcher to Mexico City. Fletcher was confirmed by the Senate many months ago, but President Wilson has never ordered him to Mexico because the administration has never satisfied itself that the present de facto government could maintain itself.

Arredondo is a "gringo hater." While professing the greatest admiration for the United States and Americans generally whenever he has had public reasons for doing so, he cherishes a strong animosity against this country and the present administration.

For many months Arredondo's chief assignment in Washington has been to induce this government to remove the embargo on arms.

He has repeatedly urged the State Department to change its policy in this regard. Secretary Lansing finally informed him that this government has no intention of changing its present policy until it had reason to believe that a responsible government had been set up in Mexico.

Above all other things this refusal of the administration has irritated the group now in charge in Mexico.

Secretary Lansing today broke his long silence on Mexican matters to the extent of admitting the conditions in northern sections of the country are bad. Mr. Lansing's statement was based upon information which has been coming to the State Department from all directions.

The State Department realizes today that conditions are worse than they were when Carranza was recognized. Not only has Carranza failed to established a government throughout the country, but he has actually lost much of the territory which he controlled formerly.

CARRANZA'S ATTITUDE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Carranza's attitude toward the Atlantic City protocol, which will determine whether negotiations between the United States and the Mexican de facto government are to be continued through the existing joint commission, will be outlined to Secretary Lane here tomorrow by Luis Cabrera, one of the Mexican commissioners. No definite information to indicate what that attitude is had reached officials tonight.

Secretary Lane, who is chairman of the commission, was notified early tonight that a special messenger bearing a communication to the Mexican commissioners, presumably Gen. Carranza's reply to the American demand that he approve or reject the protocol, had left New York for Washington. When the Secretary retired for the night, however, the messenger had not arrived and word had come meantime that Mr. Cabrera himself would reach the Capital tomorrow morning to explain personally Gen. Carranza's position.

Although the United States had set last midnight as the time by which a reply from Gen. Carranza would be expected, it was indicated tonight that if the protocol is approved the delay will be overlooked, since the chief purpose here has been to secure a satisfactory adjustment. If the protocol is rejected Secretary Lane will proceed with plans already under way to wind up the commission's affairs and adjourn sine die.

Just what the next step would be, officials will not discuss. A rejection of the protocol, which provides for conditional withdrawal of Gen. Pershing's expedition, would be interpreted here as a reinforcement of Gen. Carranza's demand of last summer that the American troops be withdrawn unconditionally.

It is reiterated that there has been no change in the administration's policy which contemplates maintenance of an efficient force at the border and does not purpose withdrawal of the Pershing expedition until it is apparent that the step will not endanger American territory.

Secretary Lane was notified late today that a messenger had started from New York with a communication from the Mexican members of the Mexican-American commission. Mr. Lane assumed that the Mexicans were sending Carranza's reply to the American demand that he either ratify or repudiate the protocol signed by the joint commission.

CABRERA SILENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican delegation on the Mexican-American joint commission, tonight refused to discuss a report from Washington that Gen. Carranza's reply to the American demand for ratification or repudiation of the Atlantic City protocol was on its way to Washington.

"I have nothing to say and I will answer no questions," Mr. Cabrera declared. "No statement will be issued by the Mexican members of the commission while in New York." It was learned that several long distance telephone calls were made to Washington during the day.

GERMANS' DUGOUTS BOMBED BY BRITISH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 28, 12:05 a.m.—The report from British headquarters in France, issued at midnight, reads:

"On Tuesday night a party of our troops searched for some few hundred yards the enemy's front-line trenches northwest of Lens, bombing his dugouts and doing considerable damage to his defenses. After completing their work our men returned without casualties.

"Our positions on the right of our line north of the Somme and near LeSars were heavily shelled by the enemy at intervals Tuesday night and Wednesday. Bombardments of the enemy defenses and trench mortar emplacements were carried out by us with good results south of Arras, in the neighborhood of Hulluch and west of Messines. Elsewhere there was the usual artillery activity.

"On Tuesday much successful work was done by our airmen in co-operation with our artillery. In the course of a number of fights in the air a hostile machine was destroyed and five others were forced to land in a damaged condition. Three of our machines are missing."

IMPORTANT RUMANIAN TOWN FALLS TO KAISER.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 27 (via Sayville.)—The Teutonic Allies fighting in Rumania have captured the important town of Rimnik Sarat, on the railroad northeast of Buzeu, according to the official communication. It says:

"On the west and east fronts there is nothing to report.

"In Great Wallachia, Rimnik Sarat has been captured.

"Northeast of Doiran (Macedonian front) the latest attacks by the British have been repulsed."

PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—President Wilson will celebrate his sixtieth birthday tomorrow. Congratulations began arriving at the White House.

Germans in Wallachian Battle Penetrate the Russian Line at Several Points

On Vast Scale.

TAKE FORTIFIED TOWNS IN FIVE DAYS' FIGHTING.

Czar's Forces Compelled to Retreat to Prepared Positions.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 27 (via Sayville.)—The five-day battle in Eastern Wallachia has resulted in the piercing of the Russian lines at several points, army headquarters announced today. The Russians were definitely defeated on a front of seventeen kilometers southwest of Rimnik-Sarat. Several fortified villages have been captured by the Teutonic Danube army, and the Russians have been forced to retreat to prepared positions further north. A total of 7600 prisoners and twenty-seven machine guns have been captured since December 22 by the Ninth Army and more than 1300 prisoners by the Danube army.

OFFICIAL TEXT.

The text of the statement reads:

"Front of Archduke Joseph: In addition to lively activity on the part of patrols which frequently ended in encounters with the enemy resulting favorably to us, and temporary lively artillery fire along the heights on the east bank of the Golden Bystritza, there was little fighting activity. In the Oitus Valley there have been artillery duels.

"Front of Field Marshal Von Mackensen: The Ninth Army, in a five-day struggle, has pierced at several places strong Russian positions, which consisted of several lines of barbed wire, and which were tenaciously defended. Southwest of Rimnik-Sarat the Russians have been completely defeated on a front seventeen kilometers in width. Also the Danube army has captured strongly-fortified villages and thus has broken into the enemy's front and forced him to retreat into positions prepared further north.

"The fighting was violent and the success is due to energetic leadership and the fullest devotion of the troops. The losses to the enemy in casualties were very large. In addition he has left in the hands of the Ninth Army since December 22 a total of 7600 prisoners, twenty-seven machine guns and two mine throwers. The number of prisoners taken by the Danube army is more than 1300.

"In Dobrudja progress has been made with the attack against the Matchin bridgehead.

"Airships and flying squadrons have been successfully active in the enemy's rear against important railroad and port establishments."

Today's statement regarding operations on the Russian front reads:

"Eastern front, front of Prince Leopold: In the Gaberka sector, northwest of Ourocze, Austro-Hungarian detachments brought thirty-two prisoners and two machine guns in from a successful enterprise."

Of the campaign in Macedonia the statement says:

"Macedonian front: There has been no important fighting activity."

Nine airplanes were lost by the Entente in aerial engagements along the western front yesterday, the War Office announced today. There has been violent artillery activity in the Ypres salient and in the region north of the River Somme.

The statement reads:

"In the Ypres salient and on the north bank of the Somme a violent artillery engagement began at noon, the weather being bright. In the evening it decreased when rain again began to fall.

"In aerial engagements the enemy lost nine airplanes."

An Overseas News Agency statement today says:

"The French headquarters statement of December 21 reported four German machines shot down. The fact is that on the 19th no German machine was lost and on the 20th one German machine was lost."

RUSSIAN REPORT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 27 (via London, 6:30 p.m.)—(British Admiralty Wireless Press.) The following statement on military operations was issued today by the War Office:

"Rumanian front: Throughout the day the enemy made a number of fierce attacks along almost the whole of the front. In the region of the upper stream of the River Rimnik, north of Megura, he succeeded in pressing back slightly our cavalry detachments and infantry detachments of the Rumanians.

"On the Rimnik road our detachments, after having repulsed a series of attacks, were obliged to abandon first-line trenches which were demolished by artillery fire.

"Enemy attacks in the remaining sectors were beaten back with great losses to him, and in the village of Valea-Seltsei by our counter-attack we captured several machine guns.

"The battle along the front continues.

"In Dobrudja there were operations by small detachments.

"Caucasian front: On Monday night the Turks, about one battalion strong, assumed the offensive in the region of Petrakolai, but were repulsed by our fire. By our counter-attack the Turks were driven into their intrenchments.

"In the region of Charafkhan, west of Mush, our detachments drove the Turks from their trenches and captured some prisoners.

"In the vicinity of Lake Van our detachments, after having dislodged a Turkish patrol guard, developed an attack and occupied the village of Attman. Under our pressure the Turks, about one battalion strong, retired eastward.

"Western (Russian) front: In the vicinity of the Beresina River, northeast of Vishneff, our scouts, while making a reconnaissance, succeeded in penetrating into the enemy trenches.

"In the direction of Kovel about two or three companies of the enemy assumed the offensive near Little Porsk, but was repulsed by our fire with great loss. The enemy conducted an artillery fire upon our positions in the region of Dube, Penaiki, Tohepeli and Zvishen (near Brody.) He took the offensive in the neighborhood of Dube and Penaiki, but was unsuccessful at both places, and was arrested by our fire.

"Near the Bystritza River, our artillery dispersed a company of enemy troops moving northeastward from the village of Kosmotch, fighting activity.

"In the wooded Carpathians, on the Moldavian frontier, north of the Usul River, our detachments dislodged the enemy from a field post and captured a machine gun.

"In the same region our riflemen took advantage of a fog and succeeded in capturing two trench mortars left by the enemy during Saturday's battle."

THE ITALIAN REPORT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 27 (via London, 4:25 p.m.)—"In the Adige Valley," says today's War Office statement, "our artillery kept the enemy's lines under a vigorous fire and disturbed his working parties.

"On the rest of the front the completion of our field works was interrupted at several points by skirmishes with the enemy's advanced posts."

ECONOMIC ILLITERATES.

Vanderlip Declares This Greatest Danger in America.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The United States is a nation of "economic illiterates" and the spread of sound business principles is a great service, Frank A. Vanderlip, president of the National City Bank, said in an address today at a convention of a school of finance for business executives under the supervision of New York University.

"I believe we are a nation of economic illiterates," he said, "and that no sort of illiteracy could be more dangerous to a republic. No, you may think I am making these remarks on rather an elevated basis, but I am not. This is real, sound sense, in my opinion. You are rendering a real service to the country in just the measure that you can spread sound economic thinking, sound views on business affairs and better understanding of the business problem, and they are the great problems of our day and time."

WANT COAL TRADE TAKEN FROM ROADS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—The immediate causes for the high price of anthracite coal are "increases in the prices charged by the mining companies, high freight rates on waterborne coal and the difficulty of obtaining additional supplies," according to a report made to Gov. McCall today by a commission appointed to investigate the cost of living.

The report recommends that the Legislature memorialize Congress in behalf of a law that will give power to Federal authorities to separate effectively the anthracite coal business from control, direct or indirect, by any railroads; secure the prompt return of empty coal cars; direct the railroads in case of emergency to give the right of way to coal over traffic not involving the immediate necessities of life; prevent discrimination in the distribution of coal to different markets; regulate prices at which anthracite coal is sold by the the mining companies or their agents.

MADE-IN-AMERICA COMPANY FORMED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—A company was organized here today to cooperate in a movement to have American-made goods replace in France and Belgium articles of German manufacture at the close of the war. It is believed by the promoters of the movement that the plan will result in adding millions of dollars to export trade annually to this country's business. Representatives and prominent officials of France and Belgium are said to be encouraging the movement.

THE LOS ANGELES ADVERTISING SCORE.

In printing the advertising records of all the daily and Sunday newspapers in Los Angeles every day The Times does not attempt to mislead or deceive its readers by using figures that concern only certain kinds of advertising. It boldly publishes the figures of all classes of advertising printed in each local newspaper.

The juggling of figures is left to those newspapers that dare not tell the whole truth and that have not the courage or fairness to make honest comparisons.

For the week ending Sunday, December 24, the Los Angeles newspapers published the following number of lines of advertising (300 agate lines make one column:)

	Display.	Classified.	Total.	Times' lead.
First—Los Angeles Times	157,360	64,330	221,690	
Second morning paper	118,244	52,822	171,066	50,624
Third morning paper	114,936	22,536	137,452	84,238
First evening paper	134,482	16,520	140,952	80,738
Second evening paper	129,710	10,584	140,294	81,396
Third evening paper	63,532	3,864	67,396	154,294

Germany's Terms.

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progress are resulting in good. It was said with authority tonight that until the door of peace actually is closed by one side or the other, President Wilson will continue to hope that any discussion of the subject will tend to hasten the end of the war.

BERNSTORFF TALKS.

Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, returning unexpectedly tonight from New York, authorized the Associated Press to make the following statement:

"I regard the note of my government as constituting an acceptance of everything suggested by President Wilson in his note to the belligerent nations of Europe."

It was made clear at the embassy that Germany stands ready to make known her terms on the first day of any conference that may be held, and officials expressed themselves as being greatly surprised at the view prevailing in some quarters here that the Berlin government had failed to meet the President's suggestions by not setting down in the reply the terms upon which it is willing to make peace. The German diplomats say President Wilson had no intention of drawing a public declaration concerning terms from the Central Powers. On the contrary, they think the President's suggestion "that an early occasion be sought to call out from all the nations now at war such an avowal of their respective views as to the terms upon which the war might be concluded," has been fully met by Germany in seeking an immediate conference with her enemies.

GERMAN POLICY.

The German policy upon which the reply to President Wilson's communication is based, was outlined as follows:

Germany feels that the conference suggested by it first should be composed of delegates from the belligerent countries whose duty it would be to settle territorial terms. Once these terms are agreed upon, representatives of the neutrals should be called in to participate in consideration of questions of guarantees for the future, in which neutrals are as vitally concerned as belligerents. These guarantees, in the German view, necessarily would have to do with the freedom of the seas, limited disarmament, formation of a world league of nations to enforce peace, and the establishment of an international court of arbitration.

Germany is said to consider that neutral nations can have no interest in terms relating to territory.

While there were no official advices upon the subject, the view still persisted in German quarters tonight that the note of the Central Powers might be followed by some highly confidential oral or written communication to President Wilson, in which at least broad tentative terms might be stated. In this connection, officials noted with interest Berlin press dispatches saying that Ambassador Gerard, who as a result of his recent visit to the United States, is thoroughly familiar with the views of President Wilson, had taken lunch with Alfred Zimmermann, the German foreign minister, and probably discussed the peace situation with him.

THE UNEXPECTED.

Count von Bernstorff's arrival in Washington was entirely unexpected. He had not planned to return until tomorrow but because of the situation deemed it advisable to be at the embassy immediately. Tonight the Ambassador had no specific instructions to call upon Secretary Lansing but it is not improbable that he will visit the state department within the next few days to seek information for his government and furnish the administration with any he himself may have in his possession.

Just what the United States could do toward bridging the gulf in case the Allies hold to their opposition to a conference is the subject of a serious discussion on among officials but as yet no concrete proposal has been advanced. It is said officially that it even has not yet been decided whether this country will send on to the Entente the Teutonic reply to the President's note, as embodying a new suggestion or whether its mere publication here would be considered sufficient. The official text of the reply still is awaited and no further step is expected before it arrives. The extreme delicacy of the situation and the fear of a misstep on the part of each group of belligerents convince officials that it may be a long time before any reply substantial is obtained.

That the Allies will declare that there must be a military solution to the war, both in their note to the President and in their reply to the Central Powers was the growing belief here today both on the basis of statements at the Allied embassies and from cabled press comments. A London dispatch today following one from Petrograd yesterday as well as intimations from both Paris and Rome that the Allies could not discuss peace until they actually held the territories they considered essential for their future, was taken to indicate that the Allies want to wait for a substantial military victory and a reversal of the present military situation.

Great Britain's invitation to the premiers of all the colonies to attend an imperial war conference to discuss "possible conditions on which by an agreement with our Allies we could consent to its termination" proved a decided surprise here where the step was taken as indicating the seriousness with which the peace movement is viewed in England. The holding of such a conference, however, is expected to be subsequent to the allied replies to President Wilson and the Central powers, and for the purpose of outlining much broader policies than have yet appeared.

Secretary Lansing was with President Wilson for 30 minutes today but said afterward he had discussed matters of minor importance.

Although Secretary Lansing said today that full information regarding all recent submarine attacks on vessels in which the United States is interested is in the possession of the State Department, no definite action on that question is expected during the pendency of peace proposals. All of the information has been forwarded to Berlin and replies are awaited.

The Children's Colds.

Watch the children's colds and cure them before they weaken the vitality. Use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy freely. It is perfectly safe. It has been tested by chemists and pronounced free from injurious substances and costs but a trifle.—[Advertisement.]

Railroad Record.

TO INTERPRET ADAMSON LAW.

Railway Men and Unions to Hold Meeting Today.

Both Sides are Confident of Reaching Agreement.

Separate Appeals to Courts may not be Necessary.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Representatives of the National Conference Committee of Railways and the four brotherhoods of railroad employees will resume their meetings here tomorrow for the announced purpose of arriving at some agreement as to the application of the Adamson law in the event it is held to be constitutional by the United States Supreme Court. The meetings had been adjourned to await the handing down of the award in the case of the switchmen's arbitration, which, it was expected, might have some bearing on the eventual interpretation of the Adamson act. The railroad managers held a preliminary meeting today.

TENTATIVE TOPICS.

It was intimated in railroad circles tonight that among other things which would be considered was an agreement that would bring the two forces together in a concerted effort to fight the President's proposed compulsory arbitration legislation. The railroads, however, are not altogether opposed to the principle of compulsory arbitration, it was indicated, providing a suitable plan can be evolved looking toward the selection of the arbitrators.

Both sides were reported confident tonight that a mutual understanding will be reached as to the practical interpretation of the Adamson act, which, it is pointed out, specifies the hours of labor, but does not make provision for the enforcement or continuation of certain privileges and rates of compensation which the men now enjoy and which they believe are threatened with extinction by the Adamson act.

POSSIBLE COURSE.

Rather than make separate appeals to the courts to decide the many points that could be brought to issue in this regard, it was reported that both sides, after agreeing on as many points as possible, would consent to bring their differences for final adjudication to the Goethals commission appointed by the President to observe the operation of the Adamson act. A representative of Elisha Lee, chairman of the conference, authorizes the statement, however, that under no circumstances will the railroads seek to vitiate the Adamson act by any other means than those already advanced. They are prepared, he said, to carry into effect the spirit and letter of the law, should it be held constitutional, and to this end, in accordance with recommendations of the Goethals commission, precautions have been taken to safeguard the extra remuneration of the workers dating from January 1, 1917, until the decision of the United States Supreme Court is handed down.

In Petrograd.

SLAV PEACE VIEWS CHANGED BY SWISS.

SUSPICION REGARDING WILSON'S MOTIVES REMOVED.

Press Considerably More Inclined to View Possibility of Intervention, Although it is Declared Neutrals "and Their Typewriters" Cannot Settle War.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 27 (via London, 10:10 p.m.)—Switzerland's indorsement of President Wilson's initiative in soliciting the formulation of peace terms by the warring powers, and the news that other neutrals will follow suit has decidedly strengthened the impression made here by the American proposal and corrected whatever tendency there existed in certain quarters to regard Mr. Wilson's note as inspired by other motives than those set forth.

In well-informed quarters it is said there is no reason to believe that the added influence of other neutrals will in any way change the point of view expressed by the Foreign Office or alter the national conviction that the present time is inappropriate for the consideration of peace terms.

But the tone of the press comment has become today considerably more inclined to view the possibility of intervention on its own merits. The Novoe Vremya, which bitterly reproached President Wilson in its earlier comment for what it termed ill-timed interference, now says that however President Wilson's efforts may be received, there can be no possible interpretation of the note as unfriendly to the Entente Allies or having been sent with other than the best of intentions.

The Bourse Gazette, which expressed the belief that the suggestion of President Wilson was not a casual act of the American government, but the result of organized efforts of the neutral powers, which are already equivalent to a neutral league with a united aim, says:

"The picture is now quite changed. The affair is taking a serious turn. The union of neutral governments in an effort to secure a general and lasting peace opens up quite a new combination of world interests and the part played by the neutrals will have a tendency to lay the basis for a stable world."

The newspaper concludes, however, that peace cannot be secured "by the neutrals and their typewriters" but it must arise out of the sacrifices and labors of the fighting nations.

"All the neutrals together," says the Bourse Gazette, "cannot guarantee a world peace, because they are not military powers and when the Germans again show their teeth they will be able to add nothing but good wishes and typewriting to convince German psychology."

Peace Talk.

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somewhat shy of the market, as burnt children of the fire.

The greatest interest is also expressed in the forthcoming Labor party conference at Manchester, as it will mark the differences of opinion between the official and the unofficial branches of the party.

In economic and financial circles much approval is expressed of the fact that a free and open discussion of possible peace terms has been substituted for the frozen silence which heretofore has hedged in the government. No one can predict what turn dnplomacy will take, but the general impression in these quarters, at least, is that an important beginning has been made.

The view is quite generally discarded that when peace does come Germany will be able to flood the world's markets, especially in the East, with articles of cheap manufacture, retailed at a ruinously low price. The Japanese press, which has been discussing the Paris resolutions and the post-bellum economic situation with much eagerness since the return of Baron Sakatani, has no apprehension that Germany will be able to dump her products in the open market. Having exhausted all her available material for military purposes, how it is asked, can she afford to attempt a campaign of dumping?

VIEW OF BRITISH PRESS.

The British press has come to share this view, recognizing the fact that before Germany's industries can start again on its old footing it will require enormous stores of cotton, copper, jute and wool. These commodities, it is pointed out, are now in the control of the Allies, and are likely to become pawns in the peace negotiations.

Whatever the details, opinion is crystalizing here that the internal pressure in Germany is growing so great that she will eventually be ready to pay pretty highly for peace.

Opinions.

"TEMPS" ATTACKS BERLIN REPLY.

Celerity of German Answer Astonishes Paris.

Hollweg's Alleged Mendacity Causes Press Comment.

Declare Kaiser is Silent on Essential Points.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 27.—The newspapers today comment freely on Germany's reply to President Wilson's note concerning peace. All of them affirm that it contains nothing not contained in the first communication of Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German Imperial Chancellor, except that it proposes a conference in some neutral capital.

"Germany," says the Temps, "invites her adversaries to a conference without making to them any disclosure of what she proposes to say until their delegates surround the green cloth."

ATTACKS HOLLWEG.

The Temps then attacks in detail what it terms the systematic mendacity of Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg respecting the origin of the war, and alleges that he changed the date of the note of Count von Berchtold, the Austrian Foreign Minister, of which the Chancellor spoke recently in the Reichstag. The newspaper asserts that, while Count von Bernstorff says one thing in the United States, Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg says another in Germany, and expresses the hope that Washington will now be able to measure the sincerity of the German government's declaration.

"Germany desires peace, that is evident," continues the Temps, "but it will be a German peace which she will tear from her adversaries by a ruse, not having had the power to conquer it by force. That is the significance of the maneuver, which outlines itself more clearly every day."

La Liberte remarks that Germany received the American note December 22, and that her reply had already left Berlin the 26th.

CELERITY OF GERMANS.

"Never in the exchange of communications with the government at Washington," says La Liberte, "has Wilhelmstrasse shown such celerity. In the period of the torpedoing of the Lusitania, Germany allowed entire months to pass without communicating to Mr. Wilson explanations embarrassing and belated. . . . The German note is silent on the essential point; it evades that entirely. Our enemy declines to unmask his batteries. The trap is more evident than ever, but the Allies will not be caught."

MEXICANS WANT CHINESE PICKERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 27.—Seattle steamship companies operating to the Orient were requested today by Mexican cotton planters at Mexicali and vicinity to submit bids for transportation of 1000 Chinese laborers from Hongkong to the Pacific Coast. The planters report a serious shortage of laborers on account of the war.

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Washington.

ANK RESOURCES AKE VAST GAIN

Billions More in the Last Two Years.

Institutions are Stronger than Ever.

than Possessed by All of Europe and Japan.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Reports of national banks of the United States, Comptroller Williams announced tonight, have increased more than $4,000,000,000 during the past two years and now aggregate $26,000,000,000, exceeding by about $6,000,000,000 the total resources of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Bank of Russia, the German Reichsbank, the Bank of Italy, the Bank of Spain, the Bank of The Netherlands, the Bank of Denmark, the Swiss National Bank, and the Imperial Bank of Japan combined. The statement based upon reports from the last bank call, November 17, the comptroller calls attention to the fact that the increase has been at the rate of approximately 50 per cent. a year during the past two years, as compared with 7 per cent. a year for the ten-year period from 1904 to 1914, and that total resources are at present more than double what they were five years ago.

BEYOND PRECEDENT.

"The compilation just completed of returns for the last bank call," the comptroller's statement reads, "shows a condition of strength, progress and growth beyond all precedent. Resources of national banks on the date of the last call are greater than the total resources of all reporting State banks, savings banks, private banks and loan and trust companies throughout the United States at the time of the inauguration of the Federal reserve system about two years ago.

"It is also noteworthy that the resources of our national banks at this time exceeded by $321,000,000 the total resources of all the reporting national banking institutions in the United States, including State banks, private banks and loan and trust companies and national banks, as late as the year 1904."

GREATEST GAINS IN WEST.

"The greatest percentage of increase," the comptroller states, during the two-year period in which the Federal reserve system has been in operation, was in the Western States. Geographically, the increase is as follows:

New England, 22 per cent.; Eastern States, 19 per cent.; Southern States, 33 per cent.; Middle Western States 31 per cent.; Western States, 39 per cent.; Pacific States, 33 per cent.

"In this period," the statement says, "the South and the West, including the Far West, increased $2,000,000,000.

"Between September 12 and November 17 (last two bank call dates) the resources of the national banks of New England and Eastern States increased $444,000,000.

PERCENTAGES.

"The increase in resources for the year in the South for the same period was $664,000,000. The percentage of increase in the Western States was 11.76 and Pacific States 11.

"The average increase over the whole country was 7.69 per cent."

"The principal changes between September 12 and November 17, 1916, were an increase of $1,109,000,000 in loans; an increase of $1,126,000,000 in deposits, bringing the deposits of national banks up to $16,000,000,000; an increase of $237,000,000 in loans and discounts, an increase of $237,000,000 in investments, bringing the total reserves to $2,472,000,000, the highest ever reached by $185,000,000.

NTS GRANTED TO CALIFORNIANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Patents were issued to Californians today as follows: Masiechi Woyama and J. Sacramento, lamp extinguisher; Walter F. Bailey, Los Angeles, combined pan greaser and oil can; Herbert A. Bullard, San Diego, hoist engine and pump; Thomas Cooper, Davis, detachable wheel; Charles A. Costingan and J. Oakland, baking machine; Charles E. Debew, Fresno, mail distributing container; George Dorffel, Los Angeles, pump; Joseph I. Edwards, Oakland, egg shipping case; Frank Galliet, Long Beach, lid supporting articles; James N. Gilbert, Berkeley, milking machine; Frederick Hawley, San Francisco, tie plate; Rebecca C. Howard, Otay, insulator protector; Charles A. Johnson, Los Angeles, rock drill mounting; Samuel P. Johnston, San Francisco, container; Herbert G. Kimball, Oakland, rake; James C. Lee, Los Angeles, electric water heater; William H. Lewis, Los Angeles, grease gun; Leslie E. Long Beach, automatic fire alarm apparatus; Eugene J. Moynihan, San Francisco, steam shovel; Charles A. Noach, San Francisco, ore crushing board; Orville P. Pratt, Los Angeles, mechanical movement; George D. Parker, Riverside, receptacle inverting mechanism; Fred F. Passeck, Alameda, draft support for freight cars; Charles E. Roe, South Pasadena, attachment for desk tops and the like; Sebastian, Los Angeles, safety device; Fred Rebler, and P. F. Chase, Los Angeles, fruit separator; W. Warmoth, Eastland, Los Angeles, air brake; Milton J. Trumble, Los Angeles, well screen; Amedeo L. Vaccaro, Oakland, box opener; Leon Weiller, San Francisco, dispensing and mixing device; George Whitney, San Jose, auto tail lamp; Benjamin F. Welch, Oakland, steering attachment for motor boats; Walter C. White, Los Angeles, gasket for train pipe joints; W. E. Wilson, San Diego, fruit basket.

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Five Cents Extra is Shocking News to Philadelphians.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—Like a thunderbolt, a notice, written on little slips of paper, appended to the menus in a large Market-street restaurant, broke the news today that the starchy lunchroom napkin had become a luxury. Henceforth only the opulent can have more than one. The high cost of laundering and the terrible ravages of the omnivorous "napkin hog" are twin reasons for the new rule, according to the proprietor of the restaurant. This was the notice: "Customers using more than one napkin charged 5 cents extra."

Protection.

(Continued from First Page.)

peace tomorrow would not materially reduce the price of bread, potatoes or meat; cotton would not go back to 10 cents a pound. But lumber might be higher. The price of copper, steel, zinc and other metals cannot be regulated from this country for six months after the close of the war, for foreign contracts at present have covered all our metals for the next six months.

"Should the war end tomorrow there would be no immediate effect on labor, for railroad and electrical and structural development of America have been arrested by the high prices of metals.

"Now we must raise our tariff and defend ourselves in certain lines at the close of this war. Germany has got to restore and rebuild Belgium. Great Britain and France must help her. Then all three will be in a natural trade alliance to take it out of the easiest and fattest mark. American financiers and business men see our weakness if Washington does not. They are refusing money and credit for an expansion based on war prosperity. Our greatest danger is the torrential stream of gold coming here.

NO PEACE FOR MONTHS.

"At present we have discounted both war and peace and in my judgment we are not going to see peace for many months. But if we go forward doing business with the prospect of peace continually before our eyes we shall do business on a sound, conservative basis. When peace does come, we shall be in a position to be helpful all around and supply goods to the whole world at a proper price to them and a proper profit for ourselves. Then prosperity for us may continue and all the world may share in it.

"The peace and prosperity of the world demands a league of all the nations to preserve the peace. Germany and Great Britain are going to be in a league of peace, but neither Germany nor the United States is going to head it, nor be the dictator of it."

Cold.

POWER-LINE BREAK GIVES NEVADA CHILL.

SAGEBRUSH CITIES DEPRIVED OF HEAT AND LIGHT.

Discovery by Trouble Hunters in White Mountains, and Subsequent Repairs, Assure Tonopah and Goldfield of Relief—Mines are Much Inconvenienced.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

TONOPAH (Nev.) Dec. 27.—Hope of succoring cities, towns and mines of Southern Nevada, which have been without electric power and light while facing zero weather since Sunday seemed imminent today, when power and telephone company trouble hunters reported they had found three miles of wires down in the blizzard-swept White Mountains. All the trouble hunters who went into the mountains are safe near Laws, Cal., except a line rider named Wilson, whom a relief party found badly frozen and unconscious on his horse.

It was expected Tonopah and Goldfield and other cities and towns dotting an area of 6000 square miles affected by the break in the power line will have heat and light by tonight or tomorrow. Stores, hotels and office building occupants, dependent upon oil furnaces for heat, have suffered considerable since the power line went down in a blizzard.

Six steel towers of the power line are down near Laws, besides the three-mile break in the mountains.

Three thousand miners have been thrown out of work; mine sumps have been bulkheaded and reduction mills forced to use cordwood. It is estimated the mining companies have lost $200,000 already and employees nearly $60,000 in wages. The Tonopah water supply was declared ample for a short period.

MUCH SNOW IN NORTH.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 27.—The snowfall extends well into Southwestern Washington, according to reports reaching here. Several mountain stage lines abandoned attempts to operate.

Chechalic, Wash, reported snow falling all morning; Astoria, Or., was under a two-inch blanket, and Salem, Or., was white with the fall.

The temperature at Baker, Or., at 6 a.m. today, was 10 below.

Snow continued falling in Portland at noon, with the temperature at 25 above.

DEATHS IN ARKANSAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) Dec. 27.—The death list in the storm which swept over South Central Arkansas yesterday afternoon remained at twelve tonight, but reports of injuries continued to arrive. It is probable that fifty or more persons were injured.

Property loss will amount to many hundred thousands of dollars, according to estimates today. Among the injured are five persons, residents of Leola, who were stunned by lightning shocks. All of the stricken districts have been reached and relief work is in progress.

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IMITATE ARMY OF ARGENTINA.

South American System may Serve as Our Model.

Would Keep Half-million Men in Constant Training.

Large Reserve Contemplated Under the Staff Bill.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Argentina's military system is serving as a model for the universal service bill now being drafted by a committee of the Army General Staff. Officers familiar with staff opinion said today the measure was designed to keep half a million men under training with 2,500,000 trained reservists subject to call.

It probably will be three weeks before the bill and accompanying estimates of costs are ready for submission to the Secretary of War. Secretary Baker has not said whether he will approve or disapprove.

FEATURE OF THE BILL.

The main feature of the staff bill will be its provision for one year of intensive military instruction for all youths subject to its terms. It is expected exemptions due to physical disqualifications and for other reasons, including possibly the conscription of certain men for work in industrial plants necessary in war times, would leave available for army training between 450,000 and 500,000 of the 1,000,000 boys who reach the age of 18 each year.

In fixing upon a year as the minimum time for training the General Staff has followed the theory that the United States seeks to provide only for an army of defense. It has been stated to the House Committee by Maj.-Gen. Hugh L. Scott that although European nations give every soldier at least two years of hard work before turning him into the reserve, because of the geographical position of the country, a year will suffice here.

In a broad way the outline of the General Staff confinental army plan of last year would be followed in distributing tactical units of the reserve into ten infantry and six cavalry divisions. Reservists would be liable for two years' service in this force before passing into the unorganized reserve.

The result, when the system had been in operation a number of years, would be to give 500,000 men under arms and in process of training, a million more trained, equipped, organized and ready for immediate muster as first-line troops, and behind these the unorganized but trained reserve numbering more than 1,500,000. This is the basis on which estimates of cost will be made by the General Staff Committee.

Industrial Asset.

HEALTH RISKS URGED UPON NATION

DECLARED BIG FACTOR IN SOCIAL REGENERATION.

Average Farmer Gets Less than Day Wages, Says Speaker at Joint Meeting of Four Sociological and Economic Organizations at Columbus.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COLUMBUS (O.) Dec. 27.—Presidents of four national organizations, the American Economic Association, the American Sociological Society, the American Statistical Association and the American Association for Labor Legislation, delivered addresses at a joint meeting of these organizations here tonight. It was the opening of a four days' convention and was presided over by Dr. W. O. Thompson, president of Ohio State University.

Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale University, president of the American Association for Labor Legislation, in his address tonight, spoke of the nation-wide campaign now under way for compulsory health insurance.

"There is no other measure before the public which equals the power of health insurance toward social regeneration," he said. He pointed out that the United States was the only great industrial nation without compulsory health insurance.

George E. Vincent of Minnesota, president of the American Sociological Society, discussing country-side and nation, declared that as an industry farming pays the average farmer less than day wages; that only increase in land values gives him a delusive sense of prospering from agriculture; that tenancy is increasing disconcertingly, even in the best farming regions, such as Iowa and Illinois; that the rural population is increasingly footloose and migratory and that by reason of these conditions, education, social life, political responsibility, moral standards and religious functions are being neglected alarmingly and undermined.

Dr. Vincent deplored the group antagonisms among farmers' organizations, the collisions between farmers' clubs and local merchants, the fact that bankers are suspicious of new plans for rural credits and that farmers' alliances are at war with elevator companies and middlemen generally. He declared it was time to insist upon the national point of view as opposed to that of narrower group interests.

Charles P. Neill, president of the American Statistical Association, and President Thomas N. Carver, of the American Economic Association, were the other speakers tonight.

DRAFT CORRUPT PRACTICE PACT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Work of drafting a corrupt political practice act to take the place of the Owen bill before the Senate after the holiday recess was taken up today by a Senate subcommittee. Many amendments to the Owen bill proposing changes in existing law governing campaign contributions and candidates' expenses are before the committee.

One suggestion being considered is the limiting of expenditures in Senatorial elections on a per capita basis, allowing a candidate to expend possibly 2 cents for each voter in a thickly settled State or 5 cents in one not so densely populated. This suggestion was framed to meet an objection made when the Owen bill was before the Senate that a hard and fast rule of expenditures applying to all sections was unfair.

Precaution.

BRITISH DESTROY SAILING LISTS.

NEWS OF VESSEL MOVEMENTS STRICTLY BANNED.

American Ship Sacramento, Stopped by German Submarine in the British Channel is Allowed in British Channel, is Allowed ality of Ownership.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—News of movements of British vessels to and from this port will be withheld by agents of the various lines as a result of an order received today from their head offices at Liverpool. All sailing lists have been destroyed and newspaper advertising of expected sailings has been withdrawn.

STOPPED BY SUBMARINE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HAVRE, Dec. 27.—Capt. Plater of the American steamer Sacramento, who arrived here from Buenos Aires with a cargo of wheat, reports he was stopped in the English Channel by a German submarine. The commander of the submarine ordered him on board with his papers and after examining them said:

"You are carrying wheat, which we consider contraband of war, to France. It is lucky for you that your ship is American, otherwise we should have torpedoed you with great pleasure. You can proceed. Good luck to you."

The only steamer of the name of Sacramento listed in available maritime records is reported by the New York Maritime Register to have been recently transferred from American to British ownership. She was blacklisted by the British Admiralty in April, 1916, on charges of aiding German ships in the Pacific, but was removed from the blacklist last October.

CAREER OF SACRAMENTO.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—The steamer Sacramento, reported to have been held up by a German submarine in the English channel, was formerly the German merchantman Alexandria of the Kosmos line. It was changed to American registry after the European war broke out, and later took part in alleged unneutral attempts to provision German warships in the Pacific.

H. von Schack, German Vice-Consul here; Henry Kaufmann, Chancellor of the Consulate; Maurice Hall, Consul for Turkey, and many others are awaiting trial in the United States District Court for an alleged connection with the activities of the Sacramento in alleged provisioning of German war craft.

The Sacramento was owned by the Northern and Southern Steamship Company when it arrived at Valparaiso, Chile, in 1915, light, after leaving San Francisco loaded with provisions. Capt. T. A. Anderson said German warships held him up and took his cargo. He was among the indicted, as was Philip Thayer, president of the Northern and Southern Steamship Company.

The Sacramento was reported sold last September to the Hudson Bay Company, said to be a British corporation.

DANISH BARK SUNK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Lloyd's shipping agency announces that the Danish bark Josan has been sunk.

Lloyd's reports the sinking of the Norwegian steamship Sno, 1523 tons gross.

STOP GREEK STEAMERS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

MADRID (Spain) Tuesday, Dec. 26 (via Paris, Dec. 27.)—Four Greek steamships—the Omitres, Aristides, Isaropina and Contandris—have arrived at Las Palmas, Canary Islands, two of them bound from America with cargoes of wheat and corn, after having been stopped by a German submarine. They were permitted to enter Las Palmas only on condition that they should discharge their cargoes at that port.

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Southern Negro Legends are Traced to Europe.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Adoption of the metric system of weights and measures for commercial use in the United States, and, also of the "daylight-saving" plan was advocated today by speakers in different sections of the convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

"An unusual opportunity is afforded at present to make the metric system the American, as well as the international language of commerce," asserted George F. Kunz, president of the New York Academy of Science.

"For the effective development of our trade," he said, "it is most urgent that all foreign catalogues and publications issued by manufacturers should use all dimensions expressed in metric as well as in English terms of weights and measures."

ALREADY IN USE.

The demand for war materials, he added, had forced the introduction of the metric system in many factories. A permanent organization to urge the adoption of the metric system was suggested by Henry V. Arny of Montclair, N. J., professor of chemistry in the college of pharmacy at Columbia University.

"It is high time for this country to throw off the shackles of an Elizabethan set of standards and add our 110,000,000 people to the 427,000,000 already using the metric system," he asserted.

Urging the merits of the "daylight-saving" plan, Marcus M. Marks, president of Manhattan borough, said it would give more time for recreation, improve the public health, and that it was estimated it would save $75,000,000 in lighting bills during the summer months.

WOMEN TAKE PART.

Women took a leading part in the discussion in some of the sections. Many southern negro tales and legends were traced to European sources by Mrs. Elsie Clewes Parsons of New York in addressing the American Folk Lore Society. Some of these stories and legends, she said, were told to African negroes by Portuguese traders many centuries ago.

Mrs. Lucy Wilson, wife of the director of the Commercial Museum at Philadelphia, read a report on excavation work in Mexico.

System.

BERKELEY GETS FARM LOAN BANK.

TWELVE CITIES ARE NAMED BY FEDERAL BOARD.

Temporary Directors will be Appointed in Next Three Weeks and Stock Subscription Books will be Opened in Ten Days. Farmers Send in Applications.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Twelve cities in which are to be located the Federal farm loan banks were announced today by the Farm Loan Board, and it is expected that within sixty days the new system will be in operation, ready to make the loans for which applications already are pouring in from every section of the country.

The banks will be opened in Springfield, Mass.; Baltimore, Md.; Columbia, S. C.; New Orleans, La.; Houston, Tex.; St. Louis, Mo.; Louisville, Ky.; St. Paul, Minn.; Omaha, Neb.; Wichita, Kan.; Spokane, Wash., and Berkeley, Cal.

Stock subscription books of the bank will be opened within the next ten days, probably about January 2, to remain open for thirty days. It is expected, however, that the government will have to supply most of the $9,000,000 capital under that section of the law which empowers the Secretary of the Treasury to make up the unsubscribed stock.

TO NAME DIRECTORS.

Temporary directors, five to each bank, will be named probably within the next three weeks by the board. As soon as the banks have been organized and borrowers have subscribed to $200,000 of the stock of each bank, the temporary directors will surrender their authority to boards of nine directors each, six of whom will be named by the farmer borrowers and three by the Farm Loan Board. The permanent directors will serve three years and receive per diem compensation, as in the case of Federal reserve bank directors.

THE SYSTEM.

Each borrower must subscribe to stock in the bank from which he borrows to the extent of 5 per cent. of his loan, and the original subscribers to the capital stock are required to surrender their holdings as they may be needed to meet the situation. In designating locations for the banks, the board was guided chiefly by the needs of rural sections. This has resulted in placing only two of the twelve banks in New England and Middle Atlantic States, the chief centers of population. Three go to the South, five to the farming States of the Middle West and West, and two to the Pacific Coast.

ORDER OFFICERS TO SCHOOL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Two hundred and forty-one second lieutenants appointed to the regular army from civil life were ordered to service schools today for training before joining their commands. It is the first assignment of officers from civil life since the National Defense Act, which authorized their appointment, was passed. There still remain more than a thousand vacancies.

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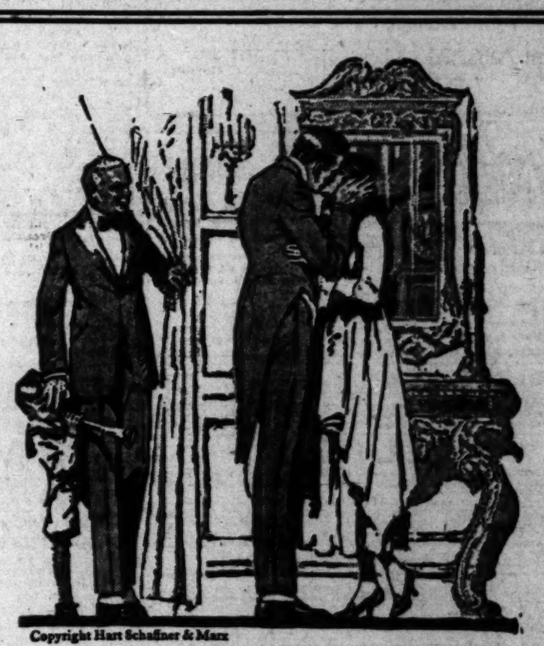

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Labor.

ADAMSON LAW'S REPEAL WANTED

Compulsory Arbitration is Federation Specter.

Changed Attitude Cause of Politicians' Worry.

Vote-seeking Democrats Wonder Where They're At.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Surface indications around headquarters of the American Federation of Labor in this city today developed the conclusion that the federation is ready to urge the repeal of the Adamson railroad wage law, passed under such sensational circumstances at the last session of Congress.

It is not that the federation is so much opposed to the Adamson law, but that the federation is ready to acknowledge the truth of the contention made last session by Senator Borah of Idaho, that if Congress is going to regulate wages and hours of labor it must go the whole way and exercise the power necessary to see that its legislation is carried out—and this means compulsory arbitration.

WHY REPEAL SOUGHT.

The federation, rather than see a compulsory arbitration law on the statute books, would prefer that Congress repeal the Adamson law and let the railroad brotherhoods and other railroad employees, in the customary way, work out their hours of labor and wage problems with their employers. With that law out of the way there will not be the necessity for the arbitration bill that otherwise will exist.

As word of the changing attitude of the American Federation of Labor is being noised about the national capital, Senators and Representatives who tumbled over one another to support the Adamson bill, thinking that thereby they were currying favor with the labor unions are beginning to wonder just "where they are at;" and if the federation, a little later, comes out openly in favor of the repeal of the Adamson law these members will be in a quandary as to how to vote or how to explain their votes.

HAS LUDICROUS SIDE.

The situation that is developing is not without its ludicrous side. The Adamson law was passed largely by Democratic votes, to catch the labor vote in the fall election, and Senators and Representatives, especially Democrats who voted for the bill used their votes in their appeal to the laboring voters for support.

The Adamson law admittedly caught many thousand labor votes, for it was put forward as the best evidence of President Wilson's belief in the eight-hour principle. Now Wilson, and in a large measure because of this law, the very element among the voters to whom the appeal was made seemingly are getting ready to repudiate that statute.

BANKER'S SACRIFICE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON (Mass.) Dec. 27.—Vice-President Muir of the First National Bank in Boston has resigned to live in Southern California for his wife's health.

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THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Heavy Sleet Storms Raging from the Mississippi to the Atlantic.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Heavy sleet storms are raging over practically all the country from the Mississippi east to the Atlantic, crippling transportation and putting telegraph and telephone systems out of business. The situation is worst along the rim of the Great Lakes. Temperatures took a decided drop today and below-zero weather is plentiful. Some of the Western and Northwestern States are bitterly cold. The maximum in Chicago was 27 deg., which has fallen to 20 deg. tonight. All Canada is very cold, but the East and the South warmed a few degrees today.

Temperatures elsewhere, as officially reported by the United States Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	54	30
Boise, Idaho	22	8
Bonita, Cal.	..	35
Boston, Mass.	38	20
Buffalo, N. Y.	44	22
Calgary, Alberta	2	*26
Corona, Cal.	..	30
Denver, Colo.	24	*4
Des Moines, Iowa	22	6
Dodge City, Kan.	32	..
Duluth, Minn.	2	*4
Durango, Colo.	20	*4
Escondido, Cal.	..	33
Eureka, Cal.	48	40
Flagstaff, Ari.	18	10
Fresno, Cal.	46	32
Galveston, Tex.	68	64
Havre, Mont.	*18	*28
Helena, Mont.	*8	*20
Huron, S. D.	4	*4
Jacksonville, Fla.	76	60
Kamloops, B. C.	6	*12
Kansas City, Mo.	30	18
Knoxville, Tenn.	54	42
Memphis, Tenn.	58	54
Modena, Utah	14	*20
Montreal, Quebec	12	..
Moorhead, Minn.	4	..
Mt. Wilson, Cal.	..	15
New Orleans, La.	78	72
New York, N. Y.	40	22
North Head, Wash.	36	32
North Platte, Neb.	16	*8
Oklahoma City, Okla.	30	26
Omaha, Neb.	24	..
Pasadena, Cal.	..	25
Phoenix, Aria.	42	38
Pittsburgh, Pa.	56	38
Pomona, Cal.	..	27
Portland, Or.	30	..
Rapid City, S. D.	10	*8
Red Bluff, Cal.	36	34
Redlands, Cal.	..	28
Reno, Nev.	28	8
Riverside, Cal.	..	30
Roseburg, Or.	42	34
Roswell, N. M.	48	20
St. Louis, Mo.	36	32
St. Paul, Minn.	8	0
Sacramento, Cal.	42	34
Salt Lake City, Utah	20	10
Santa Barbara, Cal.	..	32
San Bernardino, Cal.	..	28
San Diego, Cal.	54	42
San Francisco, Cal.	46	40
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	52	34
Seattle, Wash.	34	28
Sheridan, Wyo.	10	*12
Spokane, Wash.	14	*2
Swift Current, Sask.	*12	..
Tampa, Fla.	82	64
Tonopah, Nev.	18	8
Tucson, Ariz.	..	28
Tustin, Cal.	..	30
Washington, D. C.	40	32
Williston, N. D.	..	*6
Winnemucca, Nev.	20	*8
Winnipeg, Man.	..	8
Yuma, Ariz.	50	36

*Indicates below zero.

From Beyond.

GETS PSYCHIC WORD FROM MUNSTERBERG.

"SPIRIT RETURN IS A TRUTH," BURDEN OF MESSAGE.

Boston Woman Who Says Late Harvard Professor was Total Stranger to Her Asserts He has Conversed with Her Since Death, Through Medium.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—"Spirit return is a truth." This is the gist of a message from Hugo Munsterberg, psychology professor of Harvard, who died December 16 while lecturing at Radcliffe.

The message was received by a Brookline woman—an entire stranger—who says that she did not know Prof. Munsterberg and never heard him speak before. She is Miss Caroline T. Pillsbury, who says that while she is psychic and an explorer in the field of spirit-return she is not a medium.

She is the editor of a weekly publication in Boston called Boston Ideas and was formerly assistant editor of the Boston Times. She is also well known as a suffrage advocate.

The message, she says, was conveyed to her unexpectedly by a medium in whom she has complete confidence. The spirit spoke through the medium, saying in part: "When I was an inhabitant of the earth, I always endeavored to be honest with myself and honest with the public and I did not then find any proofs that excarnate beings communicate with their earth friends.

"I am still living and I still endeavor to be honest with myself and with the world. I therefore bring this message: 'Although I have been in the spirit-world but a brief time I have received absolute proof that excarnate beings can and do communicate with their earth friends.

"However valuable the messages I may bring in future times this one today is important—spirit-return is a truth.

"I am Hugo Munsterberg."

"These words were spoken with simplicity and directness and expressed a powerful individuality," says Miss Pillsbury. "I am absolutely certain it was he though I did not know him and had never heard him speak."

YEAR'S WORST FOG ENVELOPS LONDON.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—One of the thickest fogs of recent years enveloped London today, disorganizing traffic and causing great inconvenience. Owing to the restrictions with regard to the lighting of the city, the somber pall at nightfall brought surface traffic to a complete standstill. The omnibusses stopped running, taxicabs disappeared from the streets and the people moved about with the aid of torchlights and electric flashlights.

The underground railways were not affected and were the only means of transportation. They, however, were soon choked by the enormous crowds, with the result that numerous stations had to be closed until the crush was relieved in order to prevent accidents. Steam railway traffic to and from London was halted from points as far away as Birmingham, which also was enveloped by the fog. The fog here at frequent intervals was dull gray, murky yellow and black.

SHIP GOODS TO RUSSIA.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 27.—The steamship Fokkai Maru will sail from Seattle for Vladivostok next month with 8000 measurement tons of agricultural machinery from Chicago. A commissioner of the Russian government is making enormous purchases of farm machinery in Eastern States.

RECEIVER NAMED FOR POWER COMPANY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPOKANE (Wash.) Dec. 27.—By agreement of the company and its creditors, the Northern Idaho and Montana Power Company, a $5,000,000 corporation, operating public utilities in thirty-five cities and towns in Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon, was placed in the hands of a receiver late today by United States District Judge Frank H. Rudkin. Elmer Dover of Tacoma was appointed receiver and B. H. Grosscup of Tacoma counsel for the receiver.

SEVEN RAILWWAYS FINED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Seven railroads were fined $3700 by Federal Judge Carpenter today for working employees more than eight hours. The roads were the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific; Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; Grand Trunk; Pere Marquette; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, and the Chicago and Northwestern.

SAN DIEGO SAVED B YA RAIN STORM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 27.—A rain storm that visited the county yesterday prevented any fall of temperature of a damaging character. Because of the heavy run-off in the city's impounding system the rain was also valuable. There is ten inches of snow on the level at Cuyamaca, fifty miles southeast of here in the mountains, but no damage has resulted to the crops in the lowlands. A killing frost in exposed places is the warning of the weather man today. Continued fair tonight with increasing cloudiness tomorrow is the forecast.

All day the weather was mild and though it clouded up at times there was no rain. Snow began falling at Campo, the foothill town seventy miles from here, on the way to Imperial but the road is in good condition tonight.

BURNING ORCHARD HEATERS AT VENTURA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

VENTURA, Dec. 28.—There is considerable apprehension here tonight over the situation so far as the cold weather is concerned. Orchard heaters throughout the district are being burned.

The temperature is falling. The mountains are blanketed with snow. Santa Paula and Espee, reported 27 and 29 degs. for the early hours this morning. At 10 o'clock tonight it was 38 degs. here.

It is clear, still and no wind blowing.

CLOUDY AND COOL AT BAKERSFIELD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 27.—Cool, cloudy weather continues. No rain since the half inch of Sunday, but snow is accumulating in the mountain districts, but without increasing the flow of the Kern River.

The Edison orange suffered some last month when the temperature went to 24 in Bakersfield. There has been no damage since.

The citrus fruit is safe in the fine orchards of the El Tejon Rancho and San Emedio Ranch. The San Emedio orange crop is 85,000 boxes. The thermometer has never gone below 32 degs. there and the minimum this season is 33.

It is now 8 p.m. and temperature at San Emedio is 34¼, and 31 in Bakersfield. The maximum today here was 43. Last night's minimum was 30 degrees.

Venice.

DEFER INVESTIGATION.

Citizens' Committee Will Postpone Action for Thirty Days, But Is Determined to Secure the Resignations of Mayor and Four Trustees.

The Citizens' Committee of sixteen Venice business men, who have been in session for the past few weeks with the purpose in view of obtaining the resignations of Mayor Gerety and four other Venice Trustees, suddenly adjourned last night to meet again February 2. In a resolution, adopted shortly before adjourning, the committee stated that certain information received clearly edomnstrated that the object for which they were organized (the resignation of the Mayor and Trustees) could best be obtained by deferring action for thirty days.

The resolution further thanked Trustees Pinkerton, Lewis and Carr for meeting with the committee and aiding it in its investigations. It was further fndicated that when the committee again convenes, it will seek the co-operation of all the citizens of Venice, purposing to have these citizens gather at a mass meeting.

Dana Burke, chairman of the committee, in a signed statement, declared last night that the committee is determined to accomplish the result as outlined. He also stated that certain committeemen will see Mayor Gerety and Trustee Smart, who remained away from the meetings, and will endeavor to show them that the people desire their resignations. However, Mr. Burks emphatically stated that no bulldozing tactics will be used by the members of the committee.

REWARD INCREASED IN SPRY BOMB CASE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 27.—The reward for apprehension of the person who placed an infernal machine in front of the residence of Gov. Spry Christmas day has been raised today from yesterday's $1000 to $5000.

The police have turned over a letter warning of a poison plot, received by the Governor, to the post-office inspectors, it having come by registered mail. The letter to the Governor said·

"There is an I.W.W. at the Newhouse Hotel. He may poison the food at the banquet.

[Signed] "A FRIEND."

CANAL TUG SINKS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PANAMA, Dec. 27.—The canal tug Reliance, formerly the Scully of New York, sank off the Colon breakwater in a heavy sea today. The tug's master, Peter Evans of San Francisco, and three negroes were drowned.

ENGLAND AND FRANCE AGREED AS TO REPLY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—England and France have fully agreed upon the terms of the reply to be made to the peace proposals of the Teutonic Allies, the Associated Press learned at the Foreign Office today. It is hoped here that the answer may be dispatched by the end of this week, but other nations of the Entente, although agreed in principle, may require verbal alterations which would necessitate further delay.

It is expected that, once this reply has been forwarded, the response to President Wilson's note will follow very shortly.

FRANCE GETS CZAR'S REPLY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Russia's reply to the German peace proposals was telegraphed Monday to the French government, says a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd. It adds that the Swiss Minister has handed to the Russian Foreign Minister the note of the Swiss government supporting President Wilson's note.

GOTHAM EXCHANGE CLOSES SATURDAY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Governors of the New York Stock Exchange, at a meeting today, decided not to open the exchange Saturday, owing to the almost unprecedented volume of business, which has resulted in congestion throughout the financial district. The action was taken in response to a petition from stock brokers, and after bankers had stated that the plan was agreeable to them. The exchange will be closed Friday afternoon, December 29, and business will not be resumed until January 2.

VAST FOODSTUFF SUPPLIES SHIPPED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Foodstuffs continue to leave American ports for Europe in vast quantities. Figures published today by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce show in the first eleven months of this year they reached a value of about $670,000,000, or at the rate of more than $60,000,000 a month.

Breadstuffs lead in value of foods sold abroad. In the eleven months they reached a total of $404,000,000. Meat and dairy products amounted to $245,000,000. Shipments of cattle, hogs and sheep fell off during the year.

FIFTY THOUSAND ARMENIANS DEPORTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Fifty thousand deported Armenians are starving in the vicinity of Aleppo, Asiatic Turkey, as a result of a recent temporary suspension of relief appropriations, according to a cablegram from American Ambassador Elkus received through the State Department at Washington and made public today by the American Commission for Armenian and Syrian Relief. An appeal is made for increased appropriations to alleviate the suffering.

FRENCH SOCIALISTS FOR FREE DEPENDENTS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 27, 4:01 p.m.—The Congress of French Socialists today, by an almost unanimous vote, passed a resolution requesting the Entente Allied governments to reply to President Wilson's note concerning peace by saying that they are ready to tell him their conditions for peace, which must include just reparation for the wrongs done by the Central empires. The Socialists also declared they were for such a peace as was defined by the International Socialist Congress in London in February, 1915.

It was decided by the Socialists of the Entente Allied countries at the London conference that "no hope for peace can be entertained until German militarism is crushed."

Resolutions were passed urging Belgium be liberated and compensated, that the question of Poland should be settled in accordance with the wishes of the Polish people, and that "from Alsace-Lorraine to the Balkans those populations that have been annexed by force shall receive the right freely to dispose of themselves."

MAN THREATENED, HOUSE IS BOMBED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 27.—A quantity of explosive was touched off here tonight under the rear of a house occupied until recently by Charles T. Hutchinson, manager of a trade publication, who had moved after receiving several letters threatening death unless he deposited $5000 at a designated spot here. Private detectives had been hired to guard the house, but were absent tonight. The only occupant of the house was a Chinese servant, who was on the top floor and was not injured.

The explosion tore a hole two feet square in a basement wall and wrecked the rear porch. According to the police, the explosive used was not dynamite. On November 12 Mrs. C. R. Allen, mother of Mrs. Hutchinson, found twelve sticks of dynamite under a tankhouse adjoining the residence. Several threatening letters had been received prior to that time, and when others were received two days later the family moved.

JEFF M'LEMOOR WEDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

GALVESTON, Dec. 27.—Jeff McLemoor, Congressman-at-large from Texas, was married here tonight to Miss Fannie May Clark of an old and prominent Galveston family.

MOUNTED POLICE FOR ARMY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EDMONTON (Alberta) Dec. 27.—A. Bowen Perry, commissioner for the Royal Northwest mounted police, said today that as soon as the Alberta provincial authorities can take over the stations in the province now held by the mounted police, this famous organization will be recruited to full strength for military duty.

Attention, Classified Advertisers.

The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue.

Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit real estate propositions, business chances, stocks, bonds, automobiles, buggies, live stock, household furniture, furnished rooms, flats, apartments, board and other business ventures at a minimum cost.

TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

The Pacific Slope

MOTOR PARTY GRAZES DEATH.

Approach to Bridge Gives Way and Los Angeles People are Hurt.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 27.—Hurled in their auto over an embankment when the western approach to the Myers Canyon bridge on the San Diego highway gave way this afternoon, an auto party was in grave danger of death. Mrs. Lawrence McConville of Los Angeles sustained a bruised right shoulder and possible internal injuries. Mr. McConville and his aunt, Mrs. Alice Johnson, were bruised. Mrs. McConville is in the St. Thomas Hospital. The party was brought to this city by C. Newton Graves and George Cannon. A sharp turn at the bridge approach and green cement work are blamed by McConville for the accident. The auto turned over twice.

State highway engineers rushed workmen to the scene to repair the bridge and place warning signs.

Signs.

CZAR RECOGNIZES PEACE IS COMING.

TELLS ARMY ALLIES MUST DICTATE TERMS.

Declares Germany, Feeling Her Complete Defeat is Near, Knowing Her Own Weakness Offers to Start Negotiations Before Military Strength is Exhausted.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 27 (via London.)—(British Admiralty per Wireless Press.) In the course of an order issued to all the units of the Russian army, dated December 25, the Emperor, in a brief review showing how the inequalities in the technical resources for warfare as between the Allies and the Central Powers are being gradually removed, with the result that the enemy strength is apparently waning, while that of Russia and her allies is constantly growing, proceeds to say:

"Germany is feeling that her complete defeat is near, and near also is the hour of retribution for all her wrongdoings and violations of the moral law. As in the time of her strength she declared war, so now feeling her weakness, she suddenly offers to enter upon peace negotiations, desiring to complete such negotiations before her military talent is exhausted.

"At the same time she is creating a false impression about the strength of her army by utilizing her temporary success over the Rumanians, who lack experience in the conduct of modern warfare."

ALLIES PREROGATIVE.

Arguing that the Allies are entitled to choose a favorable hour for peace negotiations, just as Germany chose a favorable hour for declaring war the order says:

"This time has not yet arrived. The enemy has not been driven out of the provinces he has occupied. Russia's attainment of the tasks created by the war—regarding Constantinople and the Dardanelles, as well as the creation of a free Poland from all three of her now incomplete tribal districts—has not yet been guaranteed. To conclude peace at this moment would mean failure to utilize the fruits of the untold trials of the heroic Russian troops and fleet. These trials and the still more sacred memory of those noble sons of Russia who have fallen on the battlefield do not permit of thought of peace until final victory over our enemies.

"Who dares to think that he who brought about war shall have it in his power to conclude the war at any time he likes?"

IN CONCLUSION.

In conclusion, the Emperor, expressing confidence that no Russian soldier would desire peace until the enemy had been expelled from Russian soil and had given guarantees to prevent a possible repetition of a treacherous attack, says:

"Let us be firm in the certainty of our victory and the All Highest will bless our standards and will cover them afresh with glory and give us peace worthy of your heroic deeds, my glorious troops—a peace for which future generations will bless your memory, which will be sacred to them."

BRITAIN CONTRACTS FOR MEAT SUPPLIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The British government has contracted for the entire exportable supply of New Zealand meat at least three months after the close of the European war, according to reports reaching the Commerce Department from its agents abroad. Higher prices will be paid than the Dominion's export supply commanded last year.

FIRE TAKES HIGH SCHOOL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FARGO (N. D.) Dec. 27.—Fire originating from an explosion of chemicals in a laboratory tonight destroyed the Fargo High School building and seriously damaged an adjoining grade school, causing an estimated loss of $100,000. Fifty-six members of night school classes narrowly escaped injury. Insurance covered 90 per cent. of the loss.

HOLD-UP EVERY SIX HOURS IN CHICAGO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Dec. 27.—An analysis of crime conditions in Chicago, just completed by Thomas M. Kilbride, secretary of the State Board of Pardons, shows that there is a hold-up there every six hours, a murder every second day, two suicides a day and an arrest every seven and a half minutes. The causes of crime, he said, are liquor, lust, gambling and bad company.

Neutrality

VON BRINCKEN DENIES PL[...]

Attache's Salary L[...] was Drawn by Sm[...]

Insists Von Koolberg[...] Spy of the British.

Declares Absent Associ[...] a Dual Nature.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. [...] Cross-examination of Lieut. [...] von Brincken, German [...]tache, on trial with Franz [...] German Consul-General [...] five others for conspiracy [...] mite Entente munitions [...] in 1915, brought out [...] Von Brincken's salary was [...] month, although Louis J. [...] whom the defense claims [...] Brincken's subordinate, [...] from $250 to $300.

Smith, as a government [...] has previously testified that [...] paid to blow up trains, [...] ships on Puget Sound and [...]ada. The defendant Consul-General and aides insist he [...] as an agent to uncover [...] lations of the neutrality [...] United States.

PRESTON'S QUESTION[...]

United States District [...] John W. Preston, after [...] searchingly into Von [...] financial affairs, demanded: [...]

"Is it not true that you [...] with J. P. Van Koolbergen [...]sentee defendant in this [...] blow up these shipments [...] 'divvy' the reward?"

"Absolutely no," Von Br[...]plied.

That Van Koolbergen, [...] defense alleges to be a spy [...] the British Consulate [...] volve the German Consul[...] difficulty, was "a person [...] distinct natures," was stated [...] Brincken today.

"He told me he was the [...] Count Dumouceau of [...] lied for marrying a Swiss [...] beneath his rank," Von B[...] testified. "We had the [...] social relations. He took [...] me to invest in a magnesite [...] in Canada. With his wife [...] eroned my fiancee and [...]ing $25 worth of champagne [...] making me pay him for it. [...] he was in Canada in 1915 [...] responded as 'Bob' and [...] he asked me as a fellow [...] to look after his wife.

"Later Van Koolbergen [...] took to sell two mules for [...] my ranch, and he absconded [...] the money."

IS NOW IN CANADA.

Van Koolbergen is at [...] Canada.

The prosecution sought [...] show that all sums for [...] Von Brincken to Van K[...] were really consular [...] Brincken's bank account [...] were aired in court to show [...] own means were more [...] he claimed.

C. C. Crowley, whom [...] charged with aiding [...] blow up ships and trains [...] the stand tomorrow, [...] by Chief Counsel Theodore [...] for the defense tonight.

SUIT TO FORECLO[SE] ON CABLE RA[ILWAY].

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. [...] Holders of $1,800,000 [...] Market-street Cable [...] part of the United Railroads [...] Francisco, filed suit to [...] the properties of the company [...] today.

The suit was filed by the [...] London Paris National [...] city, which holds most of [...] representing an underlying [...] the heart of the United [...] system which is now in [...] of reorganization. President [...] W. Lilienthal, president of the [...] Railroads, said the suit was [...] a part of the plan of [...] that it was to hold in [...] the lien of the bonds which [...] in 1913 and were extended. [...]

The reorganization plan [...] for the taking up of the [...] volved.

Garrett McEnerney, [...] the Anglo-London Paris [...] Bank and a member of the [...]ganization Committee, said [...] organization of the United [...] fell through the suit [...] might mean receivership [...] the entire system in order to [...] serve its integrity.

JURY AT MURDER SPOT.

Defendant Small Sobs [...] Tragedy is Visited.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OSSIPEE (N. H.) Dec. 27.—[...] spot where the body of [...] ence Arline Small was found [...] tember 29 in the ruins of her [...] cottage on the shore of Lake [...]sipee was pointed out today [...] jury selected for the trial [...] woman's husband, Frederick [...] who is charged with her [...] Beside the jury stood the [...] sobbing most of the time. [...] John Kivel, who is presiding [...] court session; counsel and [...] permen.

County Solicitor Walter D. [...] indicated where the doors [...] the position of a revolver [...] the spot where the body [...] site of Small's workshop [...] rear of the house and the [...] of neighboring cottages.

Sydney F. Stevens for the [...] directed the jury's attention [...] hatchway door over a flight [...] leading from the outside [...] house to the cellar and [...] on the inner side which [...] a fastening for the door. [...]ens pointed out that [...] cleat when it was in [...] would leave the door [...] the paint was scarcely [...] while the rest of the door [...] scorched and partly burned [...]

It is understood that the [...] will contend that in Small's [...] a tramp entered the [...] Mrs. Small, set the fire [...] the hatchway door.

Be an Exception.

Don't wait until the last moment [...] your Sunday ads. to The Times [...] early Saturday.

Tribute.

VILLA EXACTS FORCED LOAN.

Residents of Torreon Give Liberally to Bandit.

Gen. Luis Herrera is Killed in the Recent Battle.

Pershing Loses Equipment in Severe Windstorm.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, Dec. 27.—Villa obtained a forced loan of 100,000 pesos from residents of Torreon after the recent capture of that town, a Mexican from Torreon reported here today. There was no looting, he said.

All of the noncommissioned officers of the Eighth Ohio Infantry signing the "Round Robin," presented today a written explanation to Gen. George Bell, Jr., commander of the border division here, who announced that they would be confined to camp for fifteen days, but will be permitted to retain their noncommissioned ranks.

In the explanation presented to Gen. Bell, the noncommissioned officers said they had not signed the statement which was sent to an Akron (O.) paper and afterwards intercepted and returned.

The statement which they signed was intended as a correction of a newspaper article appearing in an Akron paper, they affirmed. The statement ended by saying no offense was meant against military regulation when the statement was signed.

Gen. Bell announced that only Private Dixon would be tried by summary court on the charge of drafting the "round robin," and that Private Murphy, who was also confined in quarters, would not have to answer to the charge of circulating it.

REPORT HERRERA KILLED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 27.—Mayor Melchor Herrera received a message today from Mexico City telling him that his brother, Gen. Luis Herrera, was killed in action at the battle of Torreon.

Mayor Herrera transmitted the news to his father, Jose de la Luis Herrera, who is making his home here. The latter was Mayor of Parral at the time Maj. Frank Tompkins of the Pershing expedition had a clash with the Mexican people there while in pursuit of Villa.

Gen. Luis Herrera was a miner at Parral when the Madero revolution started. He, with his brother, Maclovio Herrera, joined the movement. Both brothers were wounded at the battle of Santa Rosalia. They next joined the Villa forces against Huerta, but later quit Villa and allied themselves with Carranza. Maclovio, who was promoted to be a general, was accidentally killed during the campaign against Villa, and his brother, Luis, was made commander at Parral. He recently evacuated that town and went to Tepesuanes, Durango, and from there went to Torreon, where he met his death.

DAMAGE TO PERSHING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Heavy damage to the equipment of Maj.-Gen. Pershing's command in Mexico was reported today in dispatches to the War Department telling of the storm which swept his lines Christmas Day. Masts of the wireless stations at Colonia Dublan and El Valle were blown down, and Field Hospital No. 3 was demolished. The commissary storehouse and many other structures were badly damaged. At least 75 per cent. of the tentage at Colonia Dublan was destroyed, and telegraphic communication was interrupted along the line.

OBREGON COMING NORTH.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—Gen. Obregon, who hastily returned to this city from Queretaro after a conference with Gen. Carranza last night, is expected to leave for the north tonight.

Although official announcement has not yet been made, it is believed he will take command of the troops operating against Villa. It also is rumored Gen. Pablo Gonzales may go north as military commander.

USE MEXICAN TIMBERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Stoves here were kept roaring in the tents of the soldiers on this part of the border last night and early today because of the cold wave. Timbers from the Mexican end of the International Bridge were torn away for fuel by Mexican soldiers.

MEXICAN MUST DIE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Maj. Francisco Arratia, secretary to Gov. Arnulfo Gonzales of Chihuahua, has been sentenced to death by a military court in Juarez, it was reported here today. Arratia was arrested in connection with the fatal shooting Monday of Raoul Loya, chief of police of Juarez.

T. B. ATTERBURY'S FUNERAL.

Funeral services for T. B. Atterbury, 30 years old, of No. 737 South Westlake avenue, who died at the Angelus Hospital last Tuesday following an operation, will be conducted at the chapel of W. A. Brown at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. Russell F. Thrapp of the First Christian Church will officiate. Interment will be in the family plot at Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Atterbury was a member of the Fahy-Atterbury Sales Company, automobile agents of this city. He had been a resident of Los Angeles for fifteen years, having come here with his parents from Pittsburgh.

MOST OF ORANGE CROP HARVESTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 27.—After one of the coldest days for the past four years the Porterville district tonight is swept with a cold wind which threatens to bring with it a heavy frost for tomorrow.

The temperature tonight is 36 degs. Last night the minimum record for Porterville was 29 degs. with 28 degs. recorded at Lindsay.

Not more than 10 or 12 per cent. of the citrus fruits of this district remain to be marketed and danger to the oranges is believed remote as practically all of the crop is on high ground.

Lemon growers have their orchard heaters going tonight however, in anticipation of freezing temperatures by morning.

Neutrality

VON BRINCKEN DENIES PLOT

Attache's Salary Less than was Drawn by Smith.

Insists Von Koolbergen a Spy of the British.

Declares Absent Associate has a Dual Nature.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Cross-examination of Lieut. G. von Brincken, German consular attache, on trial with Franz ... German Consul-General here, ... five others for conspiracy to ... mite Entente munitions ship... in 1915, brought out today ... Von Brincken's salary was $1... month, although Louis J. ... whom the defense claims was ... Brincken's subordinate, ... from $250 to $300.

Smith, as a government ... has previously testified that he ... paid to blow up trains, tunnels ... ships on Puget Sound and in ... ada. The defendant Consul-... eral and aides insist he was ... as an agent to uncover Entente ... lations of the neutrality of ... United States.

PRESTON'S QUESTION.

United States District Attorney John W. Preston, after ... searchingly into Von Brincken's financial affairs, demanded:

"Is it not true that you ... with J. P. Van Koolbergen, as ... defendant in this case, to ... blow up these shipments and ... divvy' the reward?"

"Absolutely no," Von Brincken replied.

That Van Koolbergen, whom ... defense alleges to be a spy and ... the British Consulate here ... volve the German Consulate in ... difficulty, was a person with ... distinct natures," was stated by ... Brincken today.

"He told me he was the son of Count Dumouceau of Holland, ... fled for marrying a Swiss ... beneath his rank," Von Brincken ... testified. "We had the ... social relations. He took $200 from me to invest in a magnesite mine in Canada. With his wife he ... ceroned my fiances and myself, ... ing $35 worth of champagne ... making me pay him for it. When he was in Canada in 1915 we ... responded as 'Bob' and 'Jack.' ... he asked me as a fellow-soldier to look after his wife.

"After Van Koolbergen ... took to sell two mules for me ... my ranch, and he absconded ... the money."

IS NOW IN CANADA.

Van Koolbergen is at present in Canada.

The prosecution sought today to show that all sums forwarded to Von Brincken to Van Koolbergen were really consular funds. Von Brincken's bank account and deposits were aired in court to show that his ... means were more slender than he claimed.

C. C. Crowley, whom Smith has charged with aiding him to try to blow up ships and trains, will take the stand tomorrow, it was announced by Chief Counsel Theodore J. ... for the defense tonight.

SUIT TO FORECLOSE ON CABLE RAILWAY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Holders of $1,800,000 in bonds of the Market-street Cable Railway, a part of the United Railroads of San Francisco, filed suit to foreclose on the properties of the company here today.

The suit was filed by the Anglo-London Paris National Bank of this city, which holds most of the bonds representing an underlying lien on the heart of the United Railroads system which is now in the process of reorganization. President ... W. Lilienthal, president of the United Railroads, said the suit was merely a part of the plan of reorganization ... that it was to hold in legal suspension the lien of the bonds which expire in 1918 and were extended.

The reorganization plans provide for the taking up of the bonds ... received.

Garrett McEnerney, counsel for the Anglo-London Paris National Bank and a member of the reorganization Committee, said if the reorganization of the United Railroads ... fell through the suit filed today might mean receivership and sale of the entire system in order to preserve its integrity.

JURY AT MURDER SPOT.

Defendant Small Sobs as Scene of Tragedy is Visited.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OSSIPEE (N. H.) Dec. 27.—The spot where the body of Mrs. Pauline Arline Small was found on December 29 in the ruins of her burned cottage on the shore of Lake ... was pointed out today to the jury selected for the trial of Mrs. ... woman's husband, Frederick ... who is charged with her murder. ... beside the jury stood the prisoner, ... sobbing most of the time. Judge ... John Kivel, who is presiding at the court session; counsel and newspapermen.

County Solicitor Walter D. H. ... indicated where the doors had been, the position of a revolver relative to the spot where the body lay, ... site of Small's workshop in the rear of the house and the locations of neighboring cottages.

Sydney P. Stevens for the defense directed the jury's attention to a hatchway door over a flight of ... leading from the outside of the house to the cellar and to a ... in the inner side which served as a fastening for the door. Mr. ... pointed out that under ... could leave the door unfastened when it was in a position ... the paint was scarcely touched, while the rest of the door had been scorched and partly burned away. It is understood that the defense will contend that in Small's absence a tramp entered the house, killed Mrs. Small, set the fire and left by the hatchway door.

Be an Exception.

Don't wait until the last moment to ... your Sunday ads to The Times. Do it Friday or early Saturday.

Tributo.

VILLA EXACTS FORCED LOAN.

Residents of Torreon Give Liberally to Bandit.

Gen. Luis Herrera is Killed in the Recent Battle.

Marching Loses Equipment in Severe Windstorm.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, Dec. 27.—Villa obtained a forced loan of 100,000 pesos from residents of Torreon after the recent capture of that town, a Mexican from Torreon reported here today. There was no fighting, he said.

All of the noncommissioned officers of the Eighth Ohio Infantry signing the "Round Robin," presented today a written explanation to Gen. George Bell, Jr., commander of the border division here, who announced that they would be confined to camp for fifteen days, but would be permitted to retain their noncommissioned ranks.

In the explanation presented to Gen. Bell, the noncommissioned officers said they had not signed the document which was sent to an Ohio (O.) paper and afterwards accepted and returned.

The statement which they signed was intended as a correction of a newspaper article appearing in an Ohio paper, they affirmed. The statement ended by saying no offense was meant against military discipline when the statement was signed.

Gen. Bell announced that only Private Dixon would be tried by military court on the charge of striking the "round robin," and that Private Murphy, who was also confined in quarters, would not have to answer to the charge of circulating it.

REPORT HERRERA KILLED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 27.—Mayor Fidel Herrera received a message today from Mexico City telling him that his brother, Gen. Luis Herrera, had been killed in action at the battle of Torreon.

Mayor Herrera transmitted the news to his father, Jose de la Luz Herrera, who is making his home here. The latter was Mayor of Parral at the time Maj. Frank Tompkins of the Pershing expedition had a clash with the Mexican people there while in pursuit of Villa.

Gen. Luis Herrera was a miner at Parral when the Madero revolution started. He, with his brother, Macario Herrera, joined the movement. Both brothers were wounded at the battle of Santa Rosalia. They next joined the Villa forces against Huerta, but later quit Villa and allied themselves with Carranza. Maclovio, who was promoted to be a general, was accidentally killed during the campaign against Villa, and his brother, Luis, was made commander at Parral. He recently evacuated that town and went to Chihuahua, Durango, and from there to Torreon, where he met his death.

DAMAGE TO PERSHING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Heavy losses to the equipment of Maj.-Gen. Pershing's command in Mexico was reported today in dispatches to the War Department telling of a storm which swept his lines on Christmas Day. Masts of the wireless stations at Colonia Dublan and Namiquipa were blown down and the Hospital No. 3 was demolished. The commissary storehouse and many other structures were badly damaged. At least 75 per cent of the tentage at Colonia Dublan was destroyed, and telegraphic communication was interrupted along the line.

OREGON COMING NORTH.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—Gen. Obregon, who hastily returned to the city from Queretaro after a conference with Gen. Carranza last night, is expected to leave for the north tonight.

Although official announcement has not yet been made, it is believed that he will take command of the troops operating against Villa. It also is rumored Gen. Pablo Gonzales may go north as military commander.

USE MEXICAN TIMBERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Many here were kept roaring in the cells of the soldiers on this part of the border last night and early today because of the cold wave. Timber from the Mexican end of the International Bridge were torn down for fuel by Mexican soldiers.

MEXICAN MUST DIE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Maj. Francisco Arratia, secretary to Gov. Ignacio Gonsales of Chihuahua, has been sentenced to death by a military court in Juarez, it was reported here today. Arratia was arrested in connection with the fatal shooting Monday of Raoul Loya, chief of police of Juarez.

J. B. ATTERBURY'S FUNERAL.

Funeral services for T. B. Atterbury, 59 years old, of No. 737 South Alvarado avenue, who died at the Clara Hospital last Tuesday following an operation, will be conducted from the chapel of W. A. Brown at Fifth and Olive this afternoon. Rev. Russell F. Thrapp of the First Christian church will officiate. Interment will be in the family plot at Evergreen cemetery.

J. B. Atterbury was a member of the Autry-Atterbury Sales Company, Ford agents of this city. He had been a resident of Los Angeles for seven years, having come here from his parents from Pittsburg.

FROST OF ORANGE CROP HARVESTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 27.—After one of the coldest days for the past seven years the Porterville district is swept with a cold wind that threatens to bring with it a heavy frost for tomorrow. The temperature tonight is 36 and last night the minimum record was 29 degs. with 28 recorded at Lindsay.

Moist conditions resulting from the melting of the snow is the explanation given in support of this observation.

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At it Again.

NEW NAMES FOR OLD PROPOSED.

ASPERSIONS ARE CAST ON SOME FLOSSY COGNOMENS.

Who Does this Naming Anyhow? Councilman Demands After Clerk had Glibly Drolled Over the Following: Florinda, Florizel, Mallina, Prospero, Paducah.

The City Council yesterday adopted the ordinance to change the name of Bishop street to Pope street. Councilman Roberts wanted to know why the elevating process was not done by easy stages by naming the street Cardinal.

This opened a general discussion on the 800 proposed changes and Councilman Conwell remarked. "Some people are going to go to sleep on Florence street and wake up on Bridget street and there's going to be a big howl."

"Who gives these new names?" asked Councilman Wright. "Some of them are certainly a fright.

Councilman Topham explained that the City Engineer endeavors to get the property holders to suggest the names, but if they don't do it he names the streets himself.

"Well, I guess he names them himself," said Councilman Conwell, as D. M. Carroll, chief deputy city clerk, chanted out the following, among other changes.

Florinda street to Florizel avenue, Highland Court to Plata street, Mission Court to Padre Court, Hollenbeck Terrace to Mallina street, Palm Court to Peru street, Palo Verde street to Paducah street, Prospect avenue to Prospero avenue, South Park Walk to Parkley Walk, and Sycamore avenue to Potomac avenue.

A deputation from Hillcrest Drive protested vigorously against the proposed change of name to Escarpa street. "We are all Americans out there," said Alfred R. Varian, "and we don't want this Spanish name." The Council decided to let the residents suggest another cognomen.

Then Councilman Wright returned to the charge. "Why not memorialize some of our leading old-time citizens?" he inquired.

"Didn't you hear the objection just made to Spanish names?" asked Councilwoman Lindsey.

Councilman Topham stated that "it is an awful job" making the 800 changes, but it has to be done because the duplication of street names causes much annoyance and trouble. The policy pursued, he stated, where there are conflicting names is to preserve the widest one. If people on the streets which are to be changed will inform the City Engineer of the name they prefer it will be so named.

SANTA ANA DISTRICT HAS NO DAMAGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—Orchard heating was not necessary last night to ward off frost damage. The frost has done no damage here this season.

Thermometers in orchards last night averaged about 30 degs. as lowest figure, though some in low spots went as low as 25 degs. for a short time. In the warm belt along the foothills no precautions have been taken to fight the frost as oranges there have never been damaged. While there has been some smudging done on several nights in the more exposed spots the experts here say that smudging has not been necessary to save any of the fruit here. Tonight at 10 o'clock the thermometer registered 43 degs.

RIVERSIDE CONDITION SAME AS LAST NIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 27.—The weather conditions tonight are identical with last night, when the thermometer went down to 30, according to the report of the United States Weather Bureau Observer. Some of the low lying districts reported a minimum of 29 for a short time early this morning.

It was not necessary to smudge last night, and the growers, while still exercising vigilance, do not expect to be called out tonight. Today's maximum, 52, is six degrees above that of yesterday.

Pioneer orange growers call attention to the fact that a freeze seriously damaging citrus fruit has never occurred following a heavy fall of snow in the mountains, debarring north winds. Moist conditions resulting from the melting of the snow is the explanation given in support of this observation.

Back.

"HEALERS" TO RETURN.

Buffalo Judge Decides After Long Fight that Schlatter and Schroeder Must Face Illegal Use of Mail Charge in Federal Court Here.

Government officials yesterday decided Francis Schlatter and August Schroeder, now being held in custody in Buffalo, N. Y., must be returned to Los Angeles to face trial here in the Federal Court on a charge of using the mails to defraud. Schlatter, who is 70 years old, and his companion, Schroeder, 60 years old, are charged with having posed as divine healers, using the United States mails to carry on their business.

For two months the two healers have been fighting extradition. They were arrested subsequent to an exciting chase by government officials that led into Canada.

Federal Judge Hazel, sitting in the United States District Court in Buffalo, yesterday ordered their removal to this city. Both prisoners had been fighting extradition because Schlatter had already been found not guilty in New York City some time ago on a similar charge.

MYSTERY MAN TO GRUB TRAIL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—Dr. John Livingstone will not have to go to Patton. Today Judge Thomas issued an order allowing him to go to work grubbing trail with a crew of men at work under Forest Ranger J. B. Stephenson of El Toro. Livingstone's past remains a mystery. He clared that he was a physician of standing until there came into his life a happening, concerning which he maintains absolute silence. Following that occurrence he went to drinking, and his three months of continuous indulgence in his desire to forget ended in delirium tremens. Recently, it was proposed to send him to the Insurgirates' department at Patton. He protested, and his protests brought his release today when a job was offered him in the hills, where he will regain his grip on himself, later to start out life anew.

ANNUL MARRIAGE MADE WITH BIGAMIST.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—Henry H. Hall, arrested recently at Long Beach as a bigamist and swindler in marriages, has one less wife than he had before the Scperior Court here today annuled his marriage to Jennie A. Bolin.

When Mrs. Bolin brought suit for annulment she declared that Hall had three wives living and undivorced. Since then he has been arrested, and investigators seemed satisfied that he had fully half a dozen. The proceedings in court were brief. Mrs. Bolin testified that as W. H. Burgess the man married Anna Burgess thirty years ago. Records were produced to show that in Santa Ana in 1915 he married Effie Murray of St. Paul, Minn., and on March 28, 1916, in Los Angeles, he married Mrs. Bolin.

WHY TEXT-BOOKS FAIL.

Professors Discuss Defects of School System of Instruction.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Dec. 27.—Students from secondary schools are deficient in their knowledge of history, and history text-books fail of their purpose, according to a score of professors of history from American universities and colleges at a conference in connection with the American Historical Association in session here today.

Among the colleges and universities a general tendency exists to ignore the work of students in secondary schools, said Prof. Arley B. Show, Leland Stanford University, chairman of the conference.

History courses, he said, must be adjusted to the needs of pupils, who now find a "complete and startling lack of uniformity" in the pursuance of their studies. Prof. Show advocated a standardization of historical studies, or at least a uniformity in their teaching.

"We no longer are able," he said, "to depend upon text-books as our main stakes."

Representatives from leading universities in America formulated an organization to be known as the university center for higher studies in Washington.

According to the provisions of the constitution adopted, a residence and center of study for students in North and South America will be provided for access to the large resources of documentary history in archives, the government.

Universities and colleges contributing to the support of the center will organize a council, governing board and an advisory committee.

Avoid the Congestion

on The Times. Telephone switchboard by telephoning your Sunday ads Friday or early Saturday.

GASOLINE INVENTOR CALLS MASS MEETING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FRESNO, Dec. 27.—Samuel Brickman, inventor of a gasoline-making process, who disappeared mysteriously from Los Angeles three months ago, reappeared today in Fresno, after wandering through the Coalinga oil fields, according to his statements. He claims to have invented a better process than Rittman.

Brickman proposes to organize an association of automobile owners here to manufacture gasoline for members at 10 cents a gallon. He has issued a call for a meeting here tomorrow night, when, he says, his plans will be announced.

WENT TO SLEEP OVER A GAS LEAK.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 27.—George Torres, a track walker, employed by the Visalia Electric Railroad, pitched a shelter tent over a leaky gas pipe near Strathmore last night, and closing the flaps of his shelter when he went to bed, was asphyxiated. Fellow-employees found him dead in his tent this morning. He had put up the tent inside the foundation of a dismantled house, a high pressure gas service pipe to the building springing a leak directly beneath him.

A Coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

SWEDISH PEACE NOTE SENT TO ALL POWERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Official information has been received here that Sweden had addressed a peace note to the belligerents and sent copies to neutrals urging consideration of terms for peace.

Secretary Lansing said in response to questions today such a note had not reached the State Department and he had no knowledge of its having been dispatched.

The advices received here said the note had already been delivered in some of the belligerent capitals and that it much resembled the Swiss note, which was an expression of indorsement of President Wilson's note.

There were no indications to show what Spain intends doing.

ITALY SAYS REJECT PLEA LIKE LINCOLN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 26, 7:35 p.m. (via Paris, Dec. 27, 10:20 a.m.)—The newspapers continue to discuss President Wilson's note to the belligerents as an important diplomatic event. The Giornale d'Italia suggests that the Allies should treat it precisely as President Lincoln did in rejecting France's effort to intervene in the American Civil War.

"If the dead of Gettysburg inspired President Lincoln's respect," says the newspaper, "so our dead of the Trentino must inspire Baron Sonnino's answer to President Wilson."

GERMAN PEACE AGENTS AT HAGUE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A dispatch from The Hague to the Exchange Telegraph Company says German agents have arrived at the Hague to make preliminary arrangements for German delegates to the peace conference suggested in the German reply to President Wilson's note.

The dispatch follows:

"In view of the preparatory meeting of delegates to a peace conference suggested in the German reply to President Wilson, German agents have arrived at the Hague and are making inquiries for hotel accommodations for German delegates."

FEEL COAL SHORTAGE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 27.—Numerous towns in southwestern Arizona, including Douglas, Bisbee, Phoenix and Tucson, are feeling the effects of the shortage of coal and steps have been taken by several commercial and civic organizations to determine the cause. Not a pound of coal is to be had in Douglas or Bisbee, it was said here today, and in some instances the poor have resorted to burning their furniture for fuel.

AUSTRIAN CORONATION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27, 7:35 p.m.—A Vienna dispatch forwarded by way of Amsterdam says that Emperor Charles and Empress Zita of Austria, left the Austrian capital today accompanied by a large suite, for their coronation at Budapest.

DANGERS OF HOME LIFE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STERLING (Colo.) Dec. 27.—Three persons were seriously injured here today when a kitchen range with frozen water pipes exploded.

GRANDPA DALEY PASSES AWAY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 27.—Funeral services were held today from his late residence, No. 322 South C street, for James Daley, known throughout Tulare county as "Grandpa" Daley, who died yesterday afternoon, aged 93 years. He enjoyed the distinction of being Porterville's oldest voter and was a consistent supporter of the Republican administrations.

He is survived by his widow, with whom last month he celebrated their sixty-second wedding aniversary, and by six sons and daughters.

DEMOBILIZE GREEK ARMY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27, 6:20 p.m.—The Foreign Office has received advices that the Greek government is carrying out its promise to demobilize the Greek Army. The work is proceeding satisfactorily, the advices indicate.

VENIZELOS LETTER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Copies of a letter from former Premier Venizelos to Gen. Korakas, head of the Greek revolutionary movement in Athens, calling for extreme efforts to bring Greece into war on the side of the Allies, even to "the destruction at the proper hour of all designated persons no matter who they may be," were delivered to the State Department today by Greek Charge Vouros, for its information. The letter was said to have been seized in the general's house and was dated November 24.

GOVERNMENT TO HAVE ITS OWN PAPER MILL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Erection of a government pulp and paper mill to assure the government a paper supply at reasonable prices was recommended to the joint Congressional committee on printing today by the committee which annually draws specifications for government paper.

The government uses approximately 30,000,000 pounds of print paper a year, which is sufficient to absorb the output of a fifty-ton mill. The report says water power and extensive forests and mineral deposits to supply such a mill can be found on many government reservations. The House Committee on Printing has also recommended a mill.

BAKER WILL STICK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Baker has gone to Cleveland, O., to close up his personal affairs there and sell his house. Rumors that he would leave the Cabinet, it was said today, were thereby disposed of. Officials closely associated with the Secretary said today they were positive he would continue at his present post.

ARREST CHORUS GIRL.

On a warrant from San Francisco alleging that she had received stolen property from a man named George Byrne, under arrest there, Mrs. Hazel Wood Adams, a chorus girl at a downtown theater, was arrested tonight and brought to the Police Station. She declares she did not know the property, which consisted of wearing apparel, had been stolen.

DROPPED DEAD WHILE FEEDING COW.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—Henry Whitehead, resident of this section for a third of a century, dropped dead today as he was feeding his cow at his home.

PARITY IN RATES AWARDED PORTLAND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 27.—Portland lumber mills were awarded parity of railroad freight rates with Willamette Valley competitors in reaching San Francisco points by decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission in a case brought by the Inman-Poulsen, Eastern and Western and Eastside Lumber companies, of Portland, against the Southern Pacific company, according to notification received here. The commission held that rates on fir and hemlock lumber and lath in straight or mixed carloads from Portland to San Francisco Bay and all points south of Marysville, also to Auburn, should not exceed Willamette Valley rates to the same destinations. New rates are ordered to be published by March 15.

FIND DYNAMITE IN CHRISTMAS CIGAR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—A Christmas cigar, said to contain enough dynamite to blow a man's head off, was turned over to postal authorities here today by Nicholas Harris, secretary of the American Dredging Company. E. H. Morse, local postal inspector, declared the authorities were searching for its sender, who they believe mailed similar Christmas presents which in several instances have exploded, injuring not only recipients but others around them.

CIVIL SERVICE LAW EXEMPTIONS SCORED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—Conditions which permit the State Railroad Commission, Reclamation Board, Attorney-General's office and certain other State departments to exempt employees from the provisions of the State civil service law are scored by Commissioner Charles Wesley Reed, in a minority report of the Civil Service Commission, filed today with Gov. Johnson.

RATE RISE DOUBTFUL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—House leaders predicted today that the proposed increases in postage rates on second-class matter, now included in the tentative draft of the post-office appropriation bill, never would be enacted into law.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—The youth of Chicago high schools are soon to be provided with military instructors, according to information received today by John D. Shoop, superintendent of public schools. The course is not compulsory.

COMING WITH CUBS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Charles (Chick) Evans, Jr., national amateur and open golf champion, is going to teach batting "form" to members of the Chicago National League club. Evans today accepted the invitation of Charles H. Weeghman, president of the club, to make the spring training trip to Pasadena, Cal. Weeghman believes Evans's instruction will be of valuable aid.

HERRERA IS DEAD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—Confirmation was received here today of the report that Gen. Luis Herrera, in command of a government force, had been killed in battle with Villa adherents near Torreon.

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MEXICAN AUTHORITY FROM THE PEOPLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

QUERETARO (Mex.) Dec. 26 (via Mexico City, Dec. 27.)—At tonight's session of the Mexican Constitutional Congress an article of the new Constitution was adopted declaring that the "national sovereignty exists essentially and originally in the people; that the entire public authority springs from the people and is instituted for their benefit, and that the people have the inalienable right at any time to alter or modify the form of government."

The article says it is the will of the Mexican people to continue as a representative republic composed of States free and sovereign in all that concerns their internal affairs, but united in one federation established under this fundamental law.

The labor article still is under discussion, the points debated being the questions of an eight-hour day and no night work for women and children. These measures were added to the original article in committee and a separate vote may be taken on them tomorrow. The labor representatives also are pressing for more ample protection against capital.

The committee report on the penal article was defeated and sent back for revision because it provided for a system of penal colonies.

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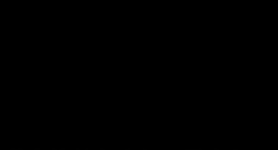

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Cold Weather.

GROWERS SAY CROP IS SAFE.

Reports from All Sections of Citrus Belt.

So Far the Oranges Have Escaped Damage.

Low Temperatures Continue in the Southland.

During the past twenty-four hours the minimum temperatures, as reported by the United States Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations—	Deg.
Bonita	35
Corona	30
Escondido	33
Mt. Wilson	15
Pasadena	25
Pomona	27
Redlands	28
Riverside	30
Santa Barbara	32
San Bernardino	26
Tustin	30
Los Angeles	36

Unofficial reports:

Stations—	Deg.
Santa Ana	30
Porterville	29
Lindsay	28
Bakersfield	30
Ventura	27
Santa Paula	28
Espoo	28

Notwithstanding the low temperatures which prevailed in Southern California Wednesday morning it is the opinion of those best able to judge that there was no damage to the citrus crop of appreciable character, although here and there the chilling weather may have caused a slight injury. The yield this year is large and, even if the 1 per cent.—suggested by some—materializes in the form of loss, it will only curtail to that amount an estimated increase of 10 to 12 per cent. in production.

Manager Powell of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange declared yesterday afternoon: "The orange crop of Southern California, as a whole, has not suffered and the volume of shipments will not be cut down."

United States Weather Bureau Observer Ford A. Carpenter, in discussing the low temperature now prevailing, declared not only was Tuesday's noon temperature of 38 deg. the lowest of that time of day since the bureau was established, but the maximum temperature of 46 deg. for the day equaled the lowest maximum ever recorded—on January 1, 1882.

Wednesday's minimum temperature of 36 deg. was the second lowest on record, being exceeded only by 28 deg. on January 8, 1913.

In the orange belt at the present time it is said that $70,000 worth of oil is being consumed each day and night. This amount will continue to be expended for approximately the next twenty days. Growers realize the last ten days in December and the first ten in January are the critical nights for them, and every effort is being made to ward off a serious freeze.

"Unfortunately there is no method of making a seasonal observation," declared Observer Carpenter, "and all we can do is to watch each day. If the present low temperatures prevail, and winds sweep in to prevent the natural radiation of the air, or if the days continue to be cloudless and the ground becomes thoroughly chilled, then the damage to the crop may be considerable."

Constant inquiry among the growers for the past two days reveals almost a unanimous opinion that the cold weather has not materially affected the orange crop. On the other hand, any sort of a story can be heard from those not in the field. There are many reasons given by the grower for the hardiness of the tree and fruit. One of them—quite logical in its reasoning—is that the tree has become hardened to the cool weather. For more than two weeks the weather has been of a trying character. This acclimatization has caused the tree and the fruit to throw its sap back to the roots and, with the ripened fruit having been picked for the holiday trade, there remains only the fruit which is located behind the leaves and in the interior of the tree, which, of course, finds protection in the outer leaves.

ANOTHER STORM HEADED THIS WAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—The whole of the Pacific Coast from San Francisco to Puget Sound is in the grip of another storm tonight, which is said to be of "decided character," in the language of the government forecaster, who predicts the downfall of rain will cover the entire State tomorrow.

Rain began falling here this afternoon with an increasing southeast wind, which promises to become heavy if a falling barometer is a criterion.

Violent snowstorms are raging in all the mountain districts, in some cases causing delays to trains, stalling stages and overwhelming cattle that have not already been driven to lower ranges.

Rainfall figures for the Northern California districts follow:

Stations—	Last 24 hours.	Seasonal to date.
Eureka	.02	10.48
Red Bluff	.20	7.96
Sacramento	.02	4.97
San Francisco	.06	7.07

FLUFFY SNOWFLAKES DROP AT GLENDORA.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLENDORA, Dec. 27.—For the first time in fifteen years there was witnessed a snowstorm as far away from the foothills as the business center of Glendora. Fifteen years ago it spit snow in big, fluffy flakes for fifteen or twenty minutes. At that time the snow fell to a depth of two feet on the mountains and the snow line extended down almost to the base of the foothills. Yesterday morning at about 8 o'clock it began snowing and continued with short intervals until about noon, but the crystal flakes came thick and fast and at times large, soft and fluffy; they melted either just after or just before reaching the ground in the upper edge of the valley. But not so with the mountain sections, as by noon the face of the mountains was whitened by a mantle of snow. By 3 o'clock, however, it had almost disappeared, as the weather moderated after noon and at times the sun broke from behind the broken clouds.

There was no wind at the time the snow fell, so it came down gently, and in so doing attracted a great deal of attention and comment, as the oldest inhabitants had never seen anything like it before.

The citrus fruit growers state that there has been no damage to their crops and that, if anything, the weather will make a more perfect commercial orange than obtained in normal years.

CITRUS SITUATION STILL SATISFACTORY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

REDLANDS, Dec. 27.—It was cloudy last night until early in the morning, and at that time the temperature dropped to 28 in the groves here. Citrus growers say that practically no damage was done and in some of the lower groves the orchard heaters were not even lighted.

The temperature was about ten degrees higher today than yesterday. There is considerable moisture in the atmosphere and the snow on the mountains is heavy, all conditions being considered favorable.

YIELD BIG AND DAMAGE LIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WHITTIER, Dec. 27.—While citrus growers were keenly alive to the possibility of a damaging frost last night, a careful survey of the East Whittier and La Habra groves today showed that the damage was slight, except in the lowest places.

In what is usually regarded as the "safe belt" the damage appears to be confined to wilted leaves on young growth and tender tips.

The damage for Monday and Tuesday nights was not so great as the damage some ten days ago, when the temperature went lower and the air was dry.

In the exposed places in the lower levels it is admitted that some fruit may be damaged from freezing, but it is too early to be certain of this, and even if it proves so the loss will be very small; in fact, the heavy yield more than makes up any possible injury.

ORCHARD HEATERS SAVED THE DAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

POMONA, Dec. 27.—Heavy firing of orchard heaters probably prevented damage to citrus fruit in the Pomona Valley Tuesday night. The most unusual weather of the year prevailed here sunset and contrary to the usual trend of events the foothill districts appeared to be somewhat colder than points in the valley. The orchardists in this vicinity did not begin firing their heaters until about 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, but the growers north and northwest of here lighted the heaters about 10 o'clock Tuesday evening and the heat from them drifted down into Pomona, helping the growers there to keep the temperature at 28 deg.

At one or two places the temperature hit 27 for short intervals, but it is emphatically declared by citrus experts that no noticeable injury has yet been done in the district. The soundness of the fruit is attributed to the fact that the district is solidly fortified with modern heaters which make it possible for the growers to raise the temperature in their groves on short notice whenever they have an impulse to do so.

Long Beach.

WRECKED ON ROCKS CHRISTMAS NIGHT.

TRYING EXPERIENCE SIX MEN OFF CATALINA ISLAND.

Power Launch Gray Driven onto Reefers Receives Gap in Side, Wrecking Boat—Six Men Swim to Shore in Chilling Waters and Find Hunter's Cabin.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 27.—Compelled to battle for their lives in a heavy sea off the northeast end of Catalina Island, after a gale had wrecked their helpless craft on a rocky point, six men, three of them from Long Beach, were forced to plunge into the icy waters of the ocean and fight their way to shore Christmas night. The victims of the wreck arrived in Long Beach tonight from San Pedro, where they landed from Catalina this afternoon.

The men were John and Fred Wells, brothers, and William Berke, who holds the world's undersea diving record, of Long Beach, and Stanley Wright, Capt. John Gray and Harvey Merceràu of Seattle. All six of the men are connected with the Oregon Wrecking, Salvage and Marine Construction Company of Portland and Seattle.

Breaking a piston rod earlier in the day, the sixty-five-foot power launch Gray, a staunch ocean-going craft, was driven onto the rocks at the end of Catalina Christmas night.

A terrific gap was torn in the side of the vessel as she pounded against the rocks, and all six of her crew, three of whom are expert divers and swimmers, were compelled to jump for their lives into the black sea.

The men managed to swim to shore after a hard battle with the raging breakers and following considerable wandering in their wet clothes found shelter in the hut of Wilber Johnson, a Catalina hunter. The hunter's hospitality made the wreck victims as comfortable as possible under the circumstances. A warm fire soon dried their clothes and they were given accommodations for the remainder of the night in the hunter's goat stable, where plenty of straw and blankets were provided.

The Gray and her equipment, valued at $25,000, were completely destroyed.

S.P. ENGINE JUMPS TRACK NEAR BASSETT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL MONTE, Dec. 27.—A Southern Pacific freight engine, through a faulty brake, jumped the track between this point and Bassett at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, carrying with it two carloads of gravel.

Pasadena.

PICK LOCKWOOD FOR MARSHAL.

Everything in Readiness for the Big Event.

Tournament Parade to Have Society Feature.

Ten Floats Form "Garden of Allah" Serial.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 28.—With the arrival of the Pennsylvania and Oregon football teams, the election of Dr. C. D. Lockwood as grand marshal of the parade and the announcement of ten new entries in the parade, all by wealthy men, final arrangements for the Tournament of Roses next Monday neared completion.

Dr. Lockwood is a member of the Valley Hunt Club, the Pasadena social organization which founded the tournament twenty-eight years ago, and his five aides are members of the club, two of them having participated in the first tournament—Dr. F. F. Rowland, C. D. Daggett, A. A. Dodworth, Thaddeus C. Lowe and William R. Staats.

Dr. Rowland is the only surviving member of the first Tournament of Roses committee. Mr. Daggett rode in a decorated runabout in the first tournament parade.

David Blankenhorn announced yesterday that he and these ten other men would enter floats in the parade in a society feature, "The Garden of Allah," Henry E. Huntington, John N. Willys, William Wrigley, Jr., F. W. Sewell, Charles Y. Knight, A. L. Garford, Hugh Chalmers, D. M. Linnard and Dr. A. T. Necomb. No expense will be spared in making these floats exceptionally beautiful.

A few minutes after the arrival of the Pennsylvania football players yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Raymond they were in uniform and engaged in a signal practice on the golf course. The reception committee was composed of the Tournament of Roses officials and members of the University of Pennsylvania Alumni Association. The Oregon players arrived yesterday morning and immediately went to Tournament Park for exercise.

At 6 o'clock yesterday morning Pasadena was the coldest city in Southern California, the temperature registering at 25 deg. above zero, and making the coldest morning of the year, and with the exception of January 7, 1913, the year of the "freeze," the coldest morning on record since the government weather station was opened here ten years ago. The cold lasted such a short while, however, that the citrus crop was not damaged. Of course, the smudge pots were in use. Men were up all night in the orange groves around Pasadena.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

Fine china for decorating. 177 So. Mentor.—[Advertisement.

SILVER LOVING CUPS FOR WOMEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 27.—Mrs. G. A. Davidson, wife of the president of the exposition; Mrs. George McKenzie, chairman of the Social Committee, and Miss Gertrude Gilbert, chairman of the Music Committee, were presented with silver loving cups today by the members of the woman's official board of the exposition at a luncheon given in honor of the three women at the Cristobal Cafe. There were fifty guests seated about the horseshoe-shaped table, including members of the women's boards of 1915 and 1916.

San Diego.

FORTY MILES OF SNOW.

Stage Drivers Report Journey from Imperial Valley to San Diego was one Long Pull Through Snowfall in Mountains, Reported Heavy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 27.—Stage drivers who arrived last night and this morning from Imperial Valley, a little behind schedule time, reported that they traveled through forty miles of snow.

The snow is a foot deep and extends from the Cottonwood grade to Mountain Springs and covers the mountains and foothills all about.

A small washout at Campo has been filled in and the drivers report no difficulty on the trip now.

SIDECAR MOTOR CYCLE ACCIDENT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 27.—In an accident which occurred on Orchard avenue this forenoon, C. E. Von Eiff, a grocery salesman who resides in Los Angeles, suffered a compound fracture of the left leg below the knee. He was taken to the Pomona Valley Hospital. His wife was scratched and bruised when the accident occurred.

Mr. and Mrs. Von Eiff were riding a motorcycle with a sidecar attachment and they ran into an auto driven by J. F. Gardner, just as he was turning the machine into the driveway at his residence.

PHONE OPERATOR IN JITNEY SMASH-UP.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 26.—Skidding on a wet pavement on West Fifth street, a machine made a complete revolution and landed on its wheels. Orville Patton, who was driving, and Miss Carrie Holms were not hurt. Miss Christina Holms has a severe injury to her spine, just how severe cannot be determined at this time. Miss Christina Holmes and Miss Carrie Holmes are night telephone operators at Garden Grove and were returning home when the accident occurred.

WINS SUCCESS AS AN ARCHITECT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Dec. 26.—Word has been received here by his father, Frank Ernst of this city, of the success of Elmore Ernst, a Visalian, who was awarded first place in the annual architectural competition by students of the technical department of the University of Pennsylvania.

Young Ernst's design, that for a country club building, was given very high commendation by the judges, who were well-known eastern architects.

FUMIGATOR'S LICENSE CANCELLED BY BOARD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—Upon the recommendation of County Horticultural Commissioner R. K. Bishop, the Board of Supervisors today revoked the fumigator's license of Edward Lewis of Fullerton.

Bishop stated that Lewis purposely failed to fumigate some trees in the Barman orchard at Fullerton, thus making it possible for the orchard to be quickly infested.

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Five new students will enter Jan. 3rd, and by a little more crowding, it may be possible to admit five more desirable boys in high school grades. Full information will be furnished during the hours above mentioned.

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Organized by Los Angeles educators to train men and women in foreign trade principles and methods. The demand for trained experts in this field exceeds the supply. Day and evening classes now forming. Free booklet. 504-5 Equitable Bank Building, First and Spring Streets, Los Angeles.

Y. M. C. A. SCHOOLS Day and Evening. New Term Jan. 2, 1917. Accounting, Book-keeping, Shorthand, Preparatory Grade, Technical, Radio, Commercial Art, Automobile, Machine Shop, Spanish, Public Speaking, etc., etc. Catalogs free. 715 S. Hope St. 10522; Main 8200.

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An extra charge of 25 per cent. is made for the use of capital letters.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

White spaces and dashes are charged for on the basis of seven words to a line.

Ads set solid are counted strictly by the word. For paragraphed or lined-up matter set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to a line. Not set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to the first line, and eight (8) average words to each line following. In this kind of advertising the actual number of words set solid is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unfilled line.

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occuring in telephoned advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement entered for more than one time.

Errors not the fault of the advertiser, which clearly lessen the value of an advertisement, will be rectified only by republication, without extra charge, on presentation of receipt within five days after insertion. No allowance will be made where the error does not materially affect the sense or purpose of the advertisement.

No adjustment will be made for advertising items not affected by an error or errors which may occur in other items in the same advertisement.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times for payment of "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or charge "till forbid" advertisements.

Telephone orders to discontinue advertising in The Times are numbered in the order of their receipts, and in each instance the number of the order is given to the advertiser, who should make a record thereof. In case of dispute no charge for advertising will be rebated unless the "stop order" number is presented to The Times by the advertiser.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 8 o'clock Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Let," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m. Saturday. Ads received after closing hours for each division, will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 100,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times," Main 8200; Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times does not knowingly accept objectionable advertisements of any kind or character—medical, whisky, turf, lottery, "get-rich-quick," etc.—and it uses every reasonable precaution to keep its advertising columns clean and wholesome, as well as to its legitimate advertising patrons. To the end that all false and spurious advertising may be rigidly excluded from the columns of The Times, information that will aid in the maintenance of this policy is solicited, and will be welcomed from Times readers and advertisers. Communications on the subject will be accepted in confidence.

"BE QUICK TO KICK IF THINGS SEEM WRONG, BUT KICK TO US AND MAKE IT STRONG."

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

For the convenience of persons who may desire to reply to classified advertisements printed in The Times, send communications to this newspaper and have "liners" and other advertisements inserted, bronze letter boxes have been placed in various downtown buildings for the purpose indicated.

Collections will be made from these boxes every hour.

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions and heading under which it is desired that the announcement be printed.

The boxes are located as follows:

BRYSON BLOCK, 145 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
BROADWAY CENTRAL, 424 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
BUMILLER BLDG., 430 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 313 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GARLAND BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GRANT BLDG., 355 S. BROADWAY. (Front of elevator.)
HIGGINS BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator, Fourth-street lobby.)
HIBERNIAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. mail box.)
L. A. INVESTMENT BLDG., 758 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby rear of elevator.)
LANKERSHIM BLDG., 126 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)
LAUGHLIN BLDG., 315 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. mail box.)
MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 9TH, SPRING & MAIN. (On elevator shaft No. 4.)
MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)
MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Beneath U. S. mail box.)
O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH & BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 608-610 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
C. WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., THIRD & MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)
SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 406 S. MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

The locations of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

Main Office, First and Broadway.
Spring St. Branch, 619 S. Spring st.
Hill St. Branch, 723-725 S. Hill st.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

ATTENTION—
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS.

The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue.

Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit real estate propositions, business chances, stocks, bonds, automobiles, buggies, live stock, household furniture, furnished rooms, flats, apartments, board, and other business ventures at a minimum cost. TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXISTING BEtween J. H. Radcliffe and A. J. Gilman, at 1520 West Pico street, Los Angeles, Cal., under the style or firm name of Gilman Mfg. Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Any moneys owing by or to said partnership will be paid or received by A. J. Gilman, who continues to carry on the business at above address. Dated Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 27, 1916. (Signed) J. H. RADCLIFFE, A. J. GILMAN, Co-partners.

REDIPHONE—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF those handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books valued at 75 cents each, the coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200 and Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," collecting at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "REDIPHONE" only will be delivered to each purchaser.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MRS. DORA Mabel Watson having left my bed and board on Dec. 16, 1916, I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her after said date. Signed, WILLIAM WATSON.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS—
For the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 8 p.m. Saturday.

THIS IS NOTICE THAT I AM NOT RESPONSIBLE for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Helen Hicklin. ROY HICKLIN.

BETTER EARLY THAN LATE—
Telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

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PERSONAL—LADIES, ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR Chichester Pills, the Diamond brand, for 25 years known as the best, safest, always reliable. Take no other. Chichesters Diamond Brand Pills are sold everywhere.

PERSONAL—WANTED—PRIVATE SANATORIUM to care for rheumatism patient or some one to care for patient in their home. Address TJ, box 520, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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PERSONAL—PHYSICAL CULTURE, CALISTHENics, steam and electric cabinet sweats, violet ray, vibratory and massage treatments. Operators both sexes. High-class patronage solicited. MALMO HEALTH INSTITUTE, 605 Baker-Detwiler Bldg.

PERSONAL—
HENLEY,
CALIFORNIA'S NOTED PSYCHIC.
Readings daily. See him. 317 W. THIRD.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLoger and palmist; thirty years in Los Angeles; largest practice, highest grade of work. High-class patronage solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—WOMEN'S DISEASES, ALL TROUbles, specialists, 313 W. THIRD, between Broadway and Hill, suite 203.

PERSONAL—WANTED TO KNOW WHEREABOUTS of Miss Peggy Wood, address MISS GERTWELL ROGERS, Thermopolis, Wyo.

PERSONAL—REV. EDWARD EARLE'S MEETing tonight, 917 S. HOPE. Bdwy. 7705. Tests, messages, etc.

PERSONAL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMist and psychic; readings, 50c. 822 E. 15TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—HELP US SERVE YOU by telephoning your Sunday ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

PERSONAL—W. C. THOMAS, FORMERLY ON La Salle avenue, for particulars, address N, box 219, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—M. L. ORCUTT, FORMERLY 685 Witmer street, relative to disputed matter. Address O, box 65, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—DIAMONDS—IF YOU WANT TO realize quick money on your diamonds see me. FERGUSON, 204 Laughlin Bldg.

PERSONAL—WANTED—E. M. WITHERS TO GO to postoffice for letter from dad.

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If so we can repair it for half what you pay others.
Roof and siding paint at 40c a gallon. We guarantee our waterproof paint and roof work for five years.
EVERWEAR ROOF PAINT CO.,
2514 SAN PEDRO ST.
SOUTH 7562.

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ROOFS REPAIRED, ASPHALTED OR PAINTED. All work guaranteed 15 years in business. F. A. BURKHART, The Roofer. Home phone 41282.

25C—SUITS SPONGED AND PRESSED—25C.
Cleaned and pressed, 50c. Bring 'em to 807 W. SEVENTH STREET.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING, $1; FURNACE CLEANING, $1; repair furnaces, stoves. CAMPBELL, the furnace man. BROADWAY 4404.

1000 BUSINESS CARDS, $1; NONE BETTER; first-class printing; lowest prices. KERSTON'S, 707 S. Hill. Main 2390.

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FINE VIOLINS, EXPERT REPAIRING. WE sell for less. VIOLIN SHOP, 317 W. Sixth.

CIGARS—7—20—4, 10 CENTS, AND DEXTER, 5 cents. GILE, distributor, 500 S. Main. Lobby Kerckhoff Bldg.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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WANTED—

2 railroad machinists	$4.20 day
2 metal spinners	$3.50 to $4 day
2 tank builders, sheet metal work.	
Machine woodworker	$2.50 to $3 day
Auto painter, rub varnish	$2.50 day up
Auto trimmer, body work	$3 day up
Auto mechanic, city	40c pr. hr.
Pattern maker	50c hr.
For a good mining company in California.	
5 machine miners	$3.75 day
5 muckers	$3.25 day
Ship tonight.	
For an Arizona mining company.	
5 hand miners	4.05 day
Married butcher, wife to cook	$60 mo. fd.
Man to repair sacks	$2.25 day
Flunkey, camp	$30 mo. fd.
Milk wagon driver	$25 mo. fd.
Married milker	$55 mo. house
Married orchard hand	$65 mo. house
Ranch hands, teamsters, milkers.	
5 laborers, grading camp	$2.50 day
5 teamsters, fare paid	$2.50 day
3 laborers, mining camp	$3.25 day

Call early, office open 7 a.m.
MURRAY & READY,
110 E. 2nd st.

WANTED — THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED salesmen for linen and bedding departments. Address K, box 387, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — REAL ESTATE SALESMAN FOR Peck's West Basin tract at the harbor; best selling property at the harbor. There is more activity at West Basin, now, than there has been for years. Two free auto excursions and boat rides weekly. Good commission. See MR. LEVY, with GEO. H. PECK & CO., 419 Marsh-Strong Bldg., Ninth and Spring sts.

WANTED — PANTRYMEN, $45 AND $50; cook's helper, $40; all around flunkey; toast and hot cake man; 2nd baker; ten bus boys; 3 extra waiters; 2 waiters for hospital; 2 elevator operators; pastry cook; baker. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 145 S. Spring st., room 212.

WANTED—MEN LEARN AUTOMOBILE REPAIRing, driving, acetylene welding, ignition, machine shop practice, in best equipped school on coast; established 1905; 3000 successful graduates. Enroll now and get our $40 course free. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 809 S. Figueroa. (See Inst. Adv.)

WANTED—
15 millwrights, smelter, long job, New Mexico $5.50
HUMMEL BROS. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 116-118 E. Second st.

WANTED—SINGLE YOUNG MAN, SOME EXPERIence, to drive milk wagon. Apply McMULLIN'S SANITARY DAIRY, 1560 Sycamore ave., West Glendale. Take car Sixth and Main, get off at Doran st., walk two blocks west to Sycamore ave.

WANTED—SEVERAL CLERKS OR BRIGHT BOYS over 18 to prepare for Los Angeles postoffice clerks and letter carriers. Good beginning salary now, fine promotion. MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Inst. Adv.)

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WANTED—GOOD STRONG BOY WITH WHEEL for grocery delivering. Steady work. Good wages for right boy. Call at FIFTH AVE. AND WASHINGTON.

WANTED—COMPETENT BOOK-KEEPER. PREfer one who had experience in tailoring business. Answer fully and state salary expected. Address K, box 415, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—PAINTER TO PAINT OUTSIDE OF 5-room bungalow, 415 W. 74th st. Will supply paint. State lowest price. Address TJ, box 313, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS AUTO-CARRIAGE TRIMmer, to go to Tucson, Ariz. Steady job and good pay. Inquire W. E. HARRIS, 65 Linden ave., Long Beach.

WANTED—GOOD HANDY MAN FOR GENERAL repair work around steam and electric machinery; permanent; $75 per month. 645 S. HILL ST., room 8, at 9 a.m.

WANTED—BRIGHT GOOD TYPEWRITER OPerator; $65 per month. MAIN 7622; HOME 10817.

WANTED—OFFICE BOY TO LEARN TRADE. Spanish speaking preferred. Address O, box 115, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH BICYCLE TO work evenings to 10 p.m. Good wages, steady work. Apply 206 MERCANTILE PLACE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FOR SHIPPING DEpartment. Call between 10 and 11 o'clock. GRAND UNION TEA CO., 846 S. Main st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO DRIVE AUTO AND make deliveries for grocery store. Apply JOHN SHEPEK CO., 6th and Grand ave.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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NOTICE.

Our new campaign will start. Think of lots $600 and up with all improvements in. Buildings going up every day. We are selling all the time. Making new commission arrangement. We want only live and successful salesmen. See me at once.

J. W. RING, Supt.
HARRY H. CULVER COMPANY,
202 Hollingsworth Bldg.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, GOOD PENMAN, local, $75.
Bookkeeper, light stenography, $70.
Typist bill clerk, good concern, $60.
Typist bill clerk, $40-$50.
Stenographer-timekeeper, fruit co., $60, advancement.
Timekeeper, construction company, north, $60.
Mechanical draughtsman, salary commensurate with services rendered. Good local mfg. concern.
Stock clerk, good local auto company, $40-$50.
Asst. bookkeeper, good penman or stenographer, Arizona, $70.
Stenographer-timekeeper, manufacturing company, north, $90.
PACIFIC AUDIT AND SYSTEM CO., INC., (Agency,) 418 Fay Bldg., 3rd and Hill.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER AND ASSISTANT book-keeper, wholesale grocery experience, $110; stenographer and office assistant, Arizona, $110; stenographer and ledger clerk, small town, $60 and found.
Book-keeper, under 33; must have executive ability and be able to meet the public, $85-$100; A-1 opportunity for capable man.
BANK CLERKS.
Ledger clerk or book-keeper, $60-$75; adding machine operator, $55; clearing-house clerk, $30; messenger, $30; boy to learn business, $25.
Boy, 16-18, to learn banking and mercantile business, $30-$25; must live with parents and be neatly dressed. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg., Agency.

WANTED—FOR LARGE GENERAL STORE UP north, capable, experienced manager to take complete charge. Successful record in similar work, A-1 character and correct habits absolutely essential. Will be rigidly investigated and bonded. $175 to start, and excellent future for a live wire result-getter. FOR ARIZONA, high-class accountant, under 35, competent to handle several sets of books and complicated accounts, $125-$150, good future. TWO MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSMEN, local positions. Various good openings for book-keepers, stenographers, young assistants and clerical men, typists, messenger boys, etc. F. S. BEAVIS, Agency for "EVERYTHING HUMAN FOR THE OFFICE." Investment Bldg.

WANTED—A-1 R. R. ACCOUNTANT WHO IS familiar with interstate commerce classifications, vouchers, disbursements, etc. Good location, Arizona, $135 and transportation.
A-1 young man stenographer and clerical assistant, good local company, $85, good future.
Experienced young man, ledger clerk, wholesale, $65, future.
Experienced young man bookkeeper, 2 months' work, out town, north, $3.50 per day. R. R. fare paid.
EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO. (AGENCY.) 704-705 Haas Bldg.

WANTED—EMPLOYEES OF ALL CLASSES WHO wish to increase their earning ability as well as their chances for advancement, to make a study of this excellent opportunity. Only those evidencing earnestness will be entertained. METALLURGICAL RESEARCH LABORATORY, 923 S. Hill st. (See Instruction adv.)

WANTED — NEAT, YOUNG MAN, LIGHT, genteel work, would take student, room and board and reasonable wages. State age, height, weight and telephone. Address K, box 581, TIMES SPRING ST BRANCH.

WANTED—
High school boy to work after school hours and on Saturdays. Prefer boy that wishes to learn advertising. Chance to make good earnings while attending school. Apply MR. SAYLOR, Second Floor Times Building. Any evening after 4 p.m.

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER AND STENOGRAPHER, city, $65; stenographer, beginner, $35; bond salesman, $15 week; good places for boys, 16-18 years, $25, up. Please register. No fees, either directly or indirectly.
PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAUS,
Room 111, 207 S. Broadway.

WANTED—BY LARGE CORPORATION, YOUNG man, 20 to 25. High school and business college graduate preferred. Must be good penman, rapid and accurate. Good opportunity. Give full details with reply. Address O, box 51, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HEAD WAITER. A COMPETENT and experienced head waiter for commercial country hotel; $60 and room and board. State experience. Address N, box 198, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — LINOTYPE OPERATOR, WHO IS also an experienced all-around printer and make-up man, steady employment, salary $65 month to start. Address O, box 277, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CARRIAGE AND AUTO woodworker to go to Tucson, Ariz. Steady work and good pay. Inquire W. E. HARRIS, 65 Linden ave., Long Beach.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED POULTRY MAN. Apply UNIVERSAL POULTRY AND EGG FARM, Lankershim blvd., corner Second, Lankershim, Cal. A90, Blue 5-X.

WANTED—ORDER AND COST CLERK FOR MAchine shop in Los Angeles; man with knowledge of mechanical drawing preferred. Address N, box 33, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN WITH BICYCLES; GOOD pay, steady positions.
Apply WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO., 608 S. Spring st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN IN CONFECTIONERY store, one with some fountain experience preferred. Must have good references. WRIGHT'S CONFECTIONERY, 3101 S. Main.

WANTED—TWO A-1 BOOK-KEEPERS, $90, advancement, Arizona; also stenographer for Riverside, $75. BUSINESS MEN'S CLEARING HOUSE (Agency,) 928 Security Bldg., Fifth and Spring.

WANTED—ORDERLY FOR TUBERCULAR SANAtorium, $25, room, board and laundry. Call MAIN 8092, after 10 a.m.

WANTED—MAN FOR GENERAL WORK AROUND house and garden, and to clean automobile. Call at JAHNKE'S TAVERN, 524 S. Spring.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS MECHANICS TO WORK on Dodge and Hudson cars. Apply early. D. AND H. SERVICE CO., 1350 W. 16th St.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN ABOUT 19 OR 20 FOR office work and book-keeping. Call at 9 o'clock to 116 E. FIFTH ST.

WANTED—BARBER. GOOD JOB FOR RELIABLE man. D. A. HINCHMAN, 25 East Union St., Pasadena.

WANTED—SHEET METAL FURNACE WORKER. Call at 1548 WEST 12TH STREET, Thursday morning.

WANTED — TWO FIRST-CLASS MECHANICAL draughtsmen, apply SUPT. OFFICE, first floor, 937 SOUTH LOS ANGELES ST. Call early.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL TO WORK AS apprentice in drug store. Call 3328 SOUTH MAIN.

WANTED—AT ONCE, BOY WITH WHEEL FOR grocery delivery. 1228 W. SIXTH ST. Main 6798.

WANTED—LEARN ACTUAL AUTO REPAIRING, Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. (See Instruction Course Adv.)

WANTED—ERRAND BOY WITH WHEEL, OVER 16. Apply 738 SOUTH LOS ANGELES, Fifth Floor. John W. MacMillen.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO CUT MEAT AND solicit in market. Apply 3965 SOUTH WESTERN AVENUE.

WANTED — BOY IN DRUG STORE WITH BICYcle. $8 per week. 4001 WESTERN AVE., cor. Santa Barbara.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS CARPENTER, YOUNG man, residence work. Apply W. C. WRIGHT, contractor, Newhall.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS ELECTRICIAN FOR generator and storage battery work. J. M. HARGLEROAD & SON, El Centro, Cal.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED DRUMMER FOR dance, New Year's Eve. Telephone MAIN 5351 after 1 p.m. today.

WANTED—THREE BRICK MASONS AT ONCE. Call 10957. DEPT. 7.

WANTED—A BARBER. FIRST-CLASS. STEADY man, at 322 W. 4TH ST., City.

WANTED—A CLOTHING SALESMAN. UNIVERSAL TAILORING CO., 342 S. Main.

WANTED — 3 FIRST-CLASS MACHINISTS AT once. 1148 S. LOS ANGELES.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED LEMON PICKERS. 134 E. 2ND.

WANTED—TWO TINNERS. APPLY BOYLE MFG. CO., 51st and Santa Fe ave.

WANTED—BOY TO WORK IN TOOL ROOM. 526 S. FLOWER.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.
(Investment Required.)

WANTED—HAVE A SPLENDID MONEY-MAKing proposition, representing an eastern concern, which is over 50 years in business, need party with small capital; routine office work, also meeting the public. Will be pleased to show what I have. State your references. Address K, box 405, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—SOBER INDUSTRIOUS MAN WHO can invest $350 with his services to work in and help manage good legitimate business, established 3 years; will pay $125 per month; no experience necessary. Money safely secured. Particulars, call 4619 MONETA AVE.

WANTED—WILLING MAN FOR GROUND FLOOR proposition in old established business; can make $140 monthly; no experience necessary; $260 required. Fully secured. Particulars, 206 S. SPRING ST., Room 224.

WANTED—SOBER MAN JOIN ME BUYING SHOW, I operate machine, you look after front. $600 required. Experience unnecessary. Address O, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, EXPERIENCED IN billing, figuring, costs and general office work, steady work to right party. Salary $15 per week. Apply this morning to W. J. BURT MOTOR CAR CO., Pico and Hope.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT ... Elizabeth Kelliher, Manager, 234 South Broadway.
Family cook, German preferred, $50; ... cook, Swedish, $50; family cook ... bara, $45; upstairs and second maid ... 2nd maid, $35; waitresses, country ... etc.; waitresses, city and Pasadena ... chambermaids, $20, etc., and $25 ... child's nurse, $30 to $35; girl for ... country hotel, $30, etc.; candy clerk ... girl for afternoon watch, hotel, $35 ... general housegirls, city and country.

WANTED—GENERAL OFFICE CLERK, switchboard and light stenography ... company, $50.
Book-keeper and stenographer, good ... ty, $75-$80.
Two stenographers for large company ... $60.
Real estate stenographer, $15.
Apply THE PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., Inc., Agency,
Suite 418 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—CLASS A DICTAPHONE OPERATOR, $60; several women with mail-order ... $1.25 day; comptometer operator ... work $65; young girl, file clerk ... Spanish preferred, $5 week. No fees ... rectly or indirectly.
PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
Room 111, 207 S. Broadway.

WANTED — REAL ESTATE SALESLADY for Peck's West Basin tract at the harbor ... are a hustler, you have good chance to ... money, as more activity is going on ... Basin than any other portion of the ... tion. Two free auto excursions and ... weekly. Good commission. See MR. LEVY, GEO. H. PECK & CO., 419 Marsh-Strong, Ninth and Spring sts.

WANTED—FAMILY COOK, CITY, ... other, city, $45; another, 4 in ... help, Pasadena, $50; ranch cook ... ley, $40; general house girl, 3 in ... $45; another, 3 in family, city ... house girl, on ranch, Brawley ... other housework places, city and ... to $40. HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT ... 313 West 3rd street.

WANTED—15 EXTRA WAITRESSES ... waitresses 5 side hall waitresses ... maids, $25 and fd.; 4 chambermaids ... pantrywoman; 3 restaurant waitresses ... mixed work, 2 lunch waitresses ... a la carte waitresses, El Paso; 3 hotel ... Arizona. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, S. Spring st., room 210.

WANTED—SECOND GIRL, $30; ... institution, $40; kitchen helper ... $25; mixed work, boarding-house ... wife, hotel maid and janitor ... ment; woman for ranch, $30-$35 ... institution, $25; housework and ... $35; practical nurse and ... alone, $25. MARTIN & SHAW, ... Broadway.

WANTED—YOUNG GERMAN COOK ... ing and downstairs, $40; 2 adults ... general, $40; another, $35; ... small with baby, $30; 7 adults ... Glendale, $30; child's nurse, Beverly ... eral girl, Beverly, $35; many ... BONDED SERVICE CO., 430 South ... Room 317.

WANTED—WE HAVE SEVERAL ... open on January 2nd with leading ... firms for young ladies who desire ... office experience, while taking a course ... in shorthand and typewriting ... call at 800 KNICKERBOCKER BLDG. ... fore that date.

WANTED — COMPETENT LADY ... and stenographer to take charge of ... of good address, capable of meeting ... must furnished best of references ... and business ability. Call between 9 ... day, C. S. preferred. 701 TITLE ... BLDG.

WANTED—MIDDLE AGED WOMAN ... keeper, for man and grown up ... be neat, competent, respectable. A good ... and reasonable wages. References ... particulars. Address N, box 295, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, ... capable stenographer, literary ... educated and good personality ... $100 to $150 per month; hours ... tain. Apply MR. BISHOP, 5821 ... Blvd., 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

WANTED—AT ONCE, A GOOD ... as cook in a small sanatorium ... 45 years of age; must be neat ... wages $35 per month, room and board ... Pasadena Exchange Fair Oaks 4W4 ... P. O. BOX 195, Lamanda Park.

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WANTED—YOUNG LADY BILLING CLERK ... can operate telephone exchange ... State age, experience, salary ... dress O, box 50, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOU CAN EARN BOARD, ROOM, tuition while attending our day ... Information and catalogue free. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE. (See Instruction Adv.)

WANTED—SEAMSTRESS ON GOWNS ... those who have experience in alterations need apply. MYER SIEGEL & CO., Broadway.

WANTED — LADY PARTNER IN ... vaudeville, part is easy, 6 months ... vance, good pay. Address O, box 96, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—25 EXPERT SALESWOMEN ... an excellent remedy for men and women ... at 304 MERRITT BLDG., between 9 ... Come prepared to give references.

WANTED — WORK FOR LARGE ... learn comptometer, Elliott-Fisher ... phone." (One month, $10.) CENTRAL COLLEGE, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

WANTED—COMPETENT MIDDLE-AGED woman for general housework and ... ences; small family; good home ... WARE DRIVE.

WANTED — LADIES, GOOD ... learn beauty culture. LEADER ... Mercantile place. MRS. HARRIS ... trades.)

WANTED—LADIES TO ASSIST ... after school; half tuition for services ... formation and catalogue free. MACKAY ... NESS COLLEGE. (See Instruction Adv.)

WANTED—A GIRL TO HELP WITH ... work and with children. No ... HOWELL, El Segundo. Phone ... 128. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

WANTED—WOMAN, GOOD COOK, ... housekeeper, one who will do ... baby, wages $35 per month. 220 ... AVE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OPERATORS ... stitchers and tuckers, on all ... pay and steady work. BERLINER ... Angeles st.

WANTED—PHOTO PLAYERS LEARN ... culture, FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, oldest, largest. 227 Mercantile ... "Educational."

WANTED—TRAINED NURSE WHO ... stands stenography, to assist ... fice and outside work. Good salary ... from after 10 a.m.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED POWER ... chine operators for single ... casting machines; work all year ... LESS GARMENT MFG. CO., ...

WANTED—2 GIRLS TO LEARN ... ant work in laundry, $8 per week ... rapid advancement. Apply DIAMOND ... 241 E. Fifth.

WANTED—GIRL OR YOUNG ... general housework. German ... home. Call 206 S. RENO ST. ... drive or Sunset car.

WANTED—RELIABLE GIRL FOR ... general housework; good home ... laundry. References. $25 ... Phone 53838.

WANTED—COLORED GIRL ... housework; 2 in family ... HOBART BLVD. Phone 71797.

WANTED — GIRLS FOR ... Steady work. Apply PEERLESS LAUNDRY, corner Main and Slauson.

WANTED—10 WOMEN TO PICK ... walnuts; piecework. Apply ... Take E. Fourth st. car, get off at ...

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE YOUNG ... assist in general housework ... wage $15; small family. ...

WANTED—WHITE GIRL TO ASSIST ... housework in family of 2 adults ... or call at 1049 ELDEN AVE. ...

WANTED—EXPERIENCED STARCH ... also experienced body ironers ... MOND LAUNDRY, 241 E. Fifth.

WANTED—GOOD COMPETENT GIRL FOR general house work and must ... ORANGE DRIVE, Hollywood.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN ... eral housework at COLEMAN'S ... able. Broadway 2108.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR ... German preferred, $15. ... Vermont 2828.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER ... and insurance office; young ... preferred. Address O, box ... TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STUDENT TO WORK FOR ... home for room, board and ... ing business college. Apply ...

WANTED—A GIRL FOR OFFICE ... who writes good Spanish and ... Apply 119½ S. SPRING, room ...

WANTED — A GIRL IN OFFICE ... phones; good chance for advancement ... O. box 135, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COLORED MAID AT ONCE. ... HOTEL, 553 S. Broadway. ... ences.

WANTED—LADY TO BE WITH ... old, in exchange for room and ... O, box 119, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED ... servant to room and board ... COURT, South Pasadena.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN ... housework. Will pay good ... Phone GLENDALE 782J or ...

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MANGLE ... ply PEERLESS LAUNDRY CO., ... and Slauson.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY AS ... cery; experienced preferred ... SONS, 4001 Moneta.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL ... in 6-room bungalow; 2 adults ... day; pleasant room and ... 3 VERMONT AVE.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED ... eral housework in family of ... home; one who is a good ... ARAPAHOE ST. W. 11th ...

WANTED—WOMAN OR GIRL ... housework; wages ... ered. 1012 N. ...

WANTED—RELIABLE GIRL ... family, small ... required. Wages $25 ...

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J. W. RING, Supt.
HARRY H. CULVER COMPANY,
202 Hollingsworth Bldg.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL, GENERAL HOUSEWORK, family; no washing; Swedish or German ... WILSHIRE 1627.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN FOR LIGHT housework. 601 W. 48TH PLACE. Phone ...

WANTED—GIRL FOR CHORUS WORK. GOOD voice considered. Apply at once. MR. ...

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAITRESS, $1.25 PER day; only experienced need apply. 5450 Hollywood blvd. MOTHER'S KITCHEN.

WANTED—LADY WITH COMPLETE OUTFIT TO do hairdressing and manicuring. Phone ... or GARVANZA 732.

WANTED—WOMAN TO DO HOUSEWORK, laundry, cook; 2 in family. $25 per month. 1542 N. HARVARD BLVD.

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework; prefer go home nights. Apply 1520 ... PLACE. Vermont 4289.

WANTED—STEADY GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork and cooking; must be good cook. Phone ... 4847 or 75131.

WANTED—LADY TO DO HOUSEWORK; GOOD ... right party. Grand-ave car. 5019 ... AVE.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED WAITRESS AT ... RESTAURANT, 108 West 10th st. ... Main 7488.

WANTED—WHITE GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; two adults, good home, wages $25. ... CALUMET. Main 5049.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL AS MOTHER'S HELPer; home like place. PHONE 51801.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, or to assist. 54019.

WANTED—GOOD CAPABLE WOMAN FOR SECond work. PHONE 35553 before 10 a.m.

WANTED—MARKERS AND DISTRIBUTORS AT TROY LAUNDRY CO., 1400 S. Main.

WANTED—BINDERY GIRLS THIS MORNING. FRANK E. GARBUTT CO., 850 S. Olive.

WANTED—AMATEURS IN ALL LINES. APPLY ... HIDALGO THEATER, 372 N. Main.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. ... PHONE 59063.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY COMPANION FOR ... Phone EAST 3918.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

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WANTED— MAN AND WIFE, WHITE, FOR ... and bed making in hotel, must be ... $50 per month, and apartment ... 10 a.m.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.
(To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — DRESSMAKERS AND AMBITIOUS ... HANDY WITH THE NEEDLE TO INCREASE THEIR EARNINGS. LEARN ROSENTHAL'S PERFECT SYSTEM, FAMOUS FOR ITS ... AND CUTTING MODEL FITTING PATTERNS; ALSO PROFESSIONAL GARMENT MAKING. WASTE NO TIME WITH BRASS CHARTS OR OTHER COMPLICATED METHODS NEVER RECOGNIZED BY THE TRADE. AN ABSOLUTELY RELIABLE PLACE. ENTER A RELIABLE PLACE. ROSENTHAL'S COLLEGE, 215 SOUTH BROADWAY, FLOOR. MOST THOROUGH AND PRACTICAL. ESTABLISHED HERE OVER 12 YEARS.

WANTED—LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING, 228 Mercantile place. MRS. HARRIS.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.
(Instruction Course.)

WANTED—PAINTERS WANTING STEADY WORK ... round, send for our free catalog. Learn ... during dull season. Great future. ... COMMERCIAL ART SCHOOL, Dept. ... Omaha, Neb.

WANTED—"1917" SPECIAL (3 MONTHS, $25.) ... shorthand; touch typewriting, book-keeping; billing; penmanship, comptometer, dictaphone, Elliott-Fisher. CENTRAL ... COLLEGE, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

WANTED—YOU CAN EARN PART OR ALL EXpenses while attending day classes. Catalogue and information free. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE.

WANTED—RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT ... 10 lessons; write for booklet. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker ... Main 2170, F5796.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN, STUDY ASSAYING, ... and flotation and earn $150 per ... opportunities await you. 923 S. ...

WANTED—MEN TO PREPARE FOR GOVERNment positions; good pay. MR. HOFF, 629 Security ...

WANTED—PEOPLE FOR PRACTICAL TRAINING ... motion picture acting. HOLLYWOOD PHOTO-PLAY ... STUDIO, 5624 Virginia ave. Phone 59102.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN, PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerks. Miss WILSON, 601 Walker ...

WANTED—EXPERT AUTOMOBILE INSTRUCTION; low rates. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 807 S. Figueroa. Catalogue free. ...

WANTED—... Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. GET ... right. 731 S. HOPE.

WANTED—SALESMEN—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED — TEN FIRST-CLASS SOLICITORS ... 2 advertising solicitors on magazine; ... solicitors on maps; two magazine solicitors, and four solicitors for ... in auto club. Apply today, main ... AUTO CLUB OF AMERICA BLDG., 548 N. ...

WANTED — TEN INDUSTRIAL INSURANCE ... to handle new and attractive $250 ... policy. A winner. Salary and commission. Answer giving address and telephone. Address K, box 360, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—WOMEN OF PERSONALITY AND REFINEMENT CAN EARN $5 TO $10 SOLICITING MEMBERSHIPS TO THE "AMERICAN LEAGUE, CAUSE OF PATRIOTIC AP..." WIDELY ADVERTISED. FOR INTERVIEW, ADDRESS N, BOX 202, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO LIVE SALESMEN ... or motorcycle, capable of meeting ... builders and owners; no canvassing; ... each day; commission basis; steady ... SANITARY CO., 77293; West 5774.

WANTED—SALESMEN, MARRIED MEN, BUSINESS experience, to learn life insurance business and contract. Leads furnished, with cooperation. Opportunity to get in right. ... number. Address LK, box 501, ... SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CALENDAR SALESMEN. Address at once, WOOD & JONES, Pasadena.

WANTED — A RELIABLE SALESMAN TO HANDLE a side line hats and caps for Arizona. PACIFIC CAP MANUFACTURING CO., 736 S. Los Angeles st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—SALESMAN, WHOLESALE GROCERY ... must have experience. Call 844 ... BLVD.

WANTED — CITY AND DISTRICT SALESMEN ... remunerative proposition. 536 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—MAN WITH SEVERAL YEARS' GENERAL experience in the lumber and sash business, book-keeper, cash and door estimating, to contractors; moderate salary. ... box 120, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, ENGLISH, WANTS POsition private family, 12 years' experience with all domestic and European machines, careful driver; guarantee satisfactory city ... Phone CHAUFFEUR, 51543.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 27 YEARS OF AGE, ... a position with a large or growing ... as stenographer, book-keeper or office ... references; good, clean habits. ... box 422, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, JAPANESE, EXPERIENCE WITH MANY HIGH-GRADE CARS, CAREFUL AND INTELLIGENT, STRICTLY SOBER AND CLEAN HABITS. CALL HENRY, 43867.

WANTED—RELIABLE STUDENT WANTS CLERICAL work outside of school hours while attending Los Angeles Business College, for room ... and small wage. Phone MAIN 8200 or ...

WANTED—ATTORNEY, 35 YEARS OLD, ELEVEN years professional and business experience, desires connection with responsible business concern or law office. References. Telephone Vermont 4252 or write 4252 BRIGHTON AVE.

WANTED—CAN YOU USE A YOUNG, RELIABLE man who is in your business? If so, I am ... am not broke and cheap job would ... be considered. Address K, box 380, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG MEN WISH TO ACCOMPANY some party to Arizona. Assist in work ... machinery in exchange, transportation. ... references furnished. WHISNER ... Main 4679.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A MIDDLE-AGED man to look after a small ranch, with fruit trees or vines; well experienced in such work. J. GODDARD, 3321 N. Griffin ave.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, YOUNG CHINESE, DEsires position in family with high-grade machine; careful and fond of driving any time; ... Please write full address to ... 615 S. Broadway.

WANTED—CHINESE BOY, POSITION IN APARTment or hotel. 747 N. ALAMEDA ST.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT COMPANY, Elizabeth Kolther, Manager, 234 South Broadway.

Classified Liners.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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J. W. KING, Supt.
HARRY E. CULVER COMPANY,
302 Hollingsworth Bldg.

WANTED—
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WANTED—I AM A BUSINESS MAN. MY MOTTO is action and results. I would like to consider any position with a corporation or proposition where $30 to $50 a week can be earned. I will earn it; am a mechanic, a salesman, a manager and bent on efficiency; would you become better organized, would you increase your sales? Let me talk it over with you. Address TJ, box 352, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—SITUATION. HAVE HAD 12 YEARS experience operating, erecting and maintenance of power plant machinery. Can do plumbing, steam fitting and electrical work. Six years in last position. Can furnish best of references. Address N, box 272, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, AS RANCH SUPERINTENDENT, or manager, have had several years' practical experience in California and Arizona. Can furnish best of reference. Located here temporarily. Address 1394 13TH STREET, Douglas, Ariz.

WANTED—SITUATION. INTELLIGENT, WELL-bred man 40, good habits, healthy, desires work that will give comfortable home with small wages. Experience in nursing; prefer caring for invalid, or handy man around private place. Address N, box 235, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY BOOK-KEEPER-TYPIST, TEN years with eastern quarry and street construction firm; also mercantile experience; references; bond. Moderate salary. GEO. EYSER, 1370 S. Flower.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR POSITION BY YOUNG man of much experience in driving and repair work, age 24; references; licensed. Telephone 21327, or address O, box 122, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY ELDERLY AMERICAN IN PRIVATE family preferred, as choreman, or utility man. Can give reference. Address O, box 120, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, REAL EXPERT JAPANESE, many years' experience high-grade American, foreign cars, desires situation; be useful; best references. 12545. ELDA.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAN WANTS JOB IN restaurant, hotel, apartment or other business, from 4 p.m. till midnight. G. JENSEN, 327 S. Hope st. Phone 11616.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS HEAD WAITER OR ASSISTANT, thoroughly experienced, wants position. Terms reasonable. City or country. Address N, box 283, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CAN YOU USE AN UP-TO-DATE book-keeper, thoroughly experienced, rapid at typewriter, city references, reasonable salary. Address J, box 445, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—BY REFINED YOUNG MAN, POSITION as houseman with elderly lady or gentleman; experienced and references. WILSHIRE 1871.

WANTED—JAPANESE MECHANICAL CHAUFFEUR wants position in family; 6 years' experience and best references; is very careful driver. Will do other work. Phone 19016. TAM.

WANTED—BY A FOREIGN MAN, SITUATION, private place, city or country, understands all around work, steady. 645 SOUTH FLOWER ST. V. A. Stefankevich, city.

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER WANTS POSITION, city or out of town. Have had long experience in firm and corporation accounting. Address N, box 229, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GOOD AND YOUNG CHINESE DEsires position as plain cook and houseman in private family. Address N, box 204, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY JAPANESE CHAUFfeur, 5 years' experience, with good reference, efficient and trustworthy. Address K, box 406, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — JAPANESE CHAUFFEUR, 5 YEARS' experience, careful driver, good mechanic and an honest, reliable young man, desires position in private family; best of references. F2152.

WANTED—JAPANESE, EXPERT CHAUFFEUR, 7 years' experience, faithful, competent driver, wants permanent position with private family; references. KITA. 52261.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED JAPANESE CHAUFfeur, position in private family; will do gardening; have references. THOMS. Phone 22557. Main 3065.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MINE ACCOUNTANT and general office man wishes position, any place. Temperate, reliable. Good references. Address O, box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXCELLENT YOUNG MAN DESIRES to earn living expenses while attending Y.M.C.A. school. PHONE 10822, MAIN 8880, Educational Department.

WANTED—SITUATION, CARPENTER, GOOD American, low wages, new or repair. Phone MAIN 4410.

WANTED—A JAPANESE YOUNG BOY, WANTS A position as a school boy. Please call after 7 p.m., HOME 71588.

WANTED—POSITION A GARDENER ALL ROUND man, flower and vegetables, and lawn. Address O, box 116, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WISHES POSITION IN some wholesale house as order clerk or stock work. Address O, box 113, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, EXPERT MECHANIC, have my own tools, 4 years' experience. F. WENBACH, South 38131.

WANTED—CARPENTER WILL DO ANY CLASS of work, 10 years' experience in Los Angeles. PHONE 51909.

WANTED — YOUNG JAPANESE SCHOOLBOY wishes situation in small family. JAPANESE MISSION, 52760.

WANTED—POSITION AS SHIPPING OR RECEIVING clerk, 5 years' experience. Address WM. HYLAND, 583 Wall st.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR AND AUTOMOBILE MEchanic desires position, 7 years' experience, foreign and American cars; aged 24. 28474.

WANTED—PRINTER WANTS POSITION, CITY or country, reliable. Address PRINTER, 417 E. Fifth st.

WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST-CLASS ALL-round baker, will go anywhere. Address O, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, wants situation, experienced, highly recommended. 633 S. OLIVE. 64233. Main 8048.

WANTED—STONE AND CEMENT WORK. CALL EAST 1185.

EMPLOYMENT—
Agencies.

WANTED—THE PACIFIC—
JAPANESE A.A.A. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
624 W. SIXTH ST., LOS ANGELES.
PHONES: F1078. MAIN 1714.

WANTED — FOR BEST COLORED HELP RING COLEMAN, the old reliable, Broadway 2106; A2879.

WANTED — JAPANESE LABOR ASSOCIATION. All kinds help. 735 S. OLIVE ST. Main 2764, F5255.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER AND STENOGRAPHER wants employment in position which requires not more than 4 or 5 hours work a day. Has had several years' experience along commercial and educational lines. Good references. Address O, box 112, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION WITH LADY BY MASseuse, also experienced in beauty culture and capable of undertaking any household duties, go anywhere. Address N, box 207, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY NURSE, POSITION AS COMpanion or managing housekeeper, good masseuse, sewing, reading, etc. Eight hours day, in return for room, board, small salary. Call ANNES, 22, Main 5815; F5483.

WANTED—REFINED LADY DESIRES POSITION as seamstress in boys' military school or private institution, no salary required for half day's work. Address K, box 420, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—DICTAPHONE OPERATOR, EXPERIenced in court reporting and literary work. Have machines and records. Will take work home or in office part time. HOME PHONE 597367.

WANTED—POSITION AS PRIVATE SECRETARY or amanuensis by young woman stenographer of broad education and local library experience. Best references. JOSEPHINE McMARTIN, 615 Laughlin Bldg. Phone F1826.

WANTED—BY E. S. MEMBER, POSITION AS housekeeper in first-class home or to take charge of culinary department of gentlemen's club. First-class references given and required. P.O. BOX 293.

WANTED—POSITION BY A FIRST-CLASS STEnographer and book-keeper; nothing too difficult; moderate salary; local reference. Address J, box 444, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — WOMAN OF ABILITY AND GOOD references will take full charge of home and children, over 2 years, or act as companion. Address N, box 206, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION AS COOK IN HOSPITAL. Can prepare dainty dishes for the sick. Or will cook in a school or other nice institution. Address AH, box 37, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS MANAGER OF APARTments by experienced hotel lady, formerly of Chicago; city references. Address O, box 133, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COOK WISHES WORK where she may go home nights. Best references. Call 4084 S. MAIN, or address O, box 138, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY REFINED WOMAN, POSITION AS housekeeper in gentleman's home or small apartment-house; experienced. Address O, box 118, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COMPETENT REFINED PERSON WILL give services for modern apartment for self and sister. Address B, box 668, TIMES HILL ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — SITUATION, MANAGER OF APARTment-house or hotel; city references; capable of taking full charge; expert to work. Phone BROADWAY 3691.

WANTED — WIDOW, AGE 35, GOOD COOK, wishes position as housekeeper for one or more. References exchanged. PHONE A3955, room 11.

WANTED—BY INTELLIGENT, CAPABLE, THOROUGHLY reliable woman, employment afternoons. Can do almost anything. HOME 51040.

WANTED—DOWNSTAIRS WORK OR GENERAL, by competent girl, good cook and housekeeper. $35-$40. 10266.

WANTED—STRONG, CAPABLE, PRACTICAL nurse. Doctor's reference. Will assume other duties. PHONE 77218.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COLORED WOMAN wants cooking or general work; will go Pasadena. BOYLE 1518.

WANTED — LADY OF REFINEMENT WISHES apartment-house to manage or similar position. Address O, box 59, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — LADY, PATIENT AND RELIABLE, will look after invalid, some housework if necessary. Address O, box 58, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — NEAT YOUNG COLORED GIRL wants work in private family. BROADWAY 3085.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COLORED WOMAN wants position as cook in a private family, small family, light general work; large family cook only where no children. Can be seen Thursday from 3 to 10, and Sunday from 3 to 6. Information can be given over the telephone concerning this party. City only. Phone Home 72470 Sunday, West 2338. Address 1238 MARIPOSA.

WANTED—WOMAN OF BUSINESS EXPERIENCE and judgment, who has filled responsible office position with large corporations; seeks employment in general office work, billing, typewriting, dictaphone operating, etc.; very quick and accurate; can furnish highest references. Address MISS DAISY S. CLOSE, 417 Merchants Trust Bldg. Phone F6894.

WANTED—REFINED MIDDLE-AGED LADY, POsition as companion or light housework with privilege of having son with me who can make himself useful after school hours. Best references. South 3706W. Address MRS. W., 442 E 70th st., City.

WANTED—HOTEL HOUSEKEEPER, TAKE FULL charge, 12 years' experience; will leave city. Address TN, box 528, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—RELIABLE LADY WISHES POSITION as housekeeper in widower's home. No objection to children. References 1016 S. BOYLE AVE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CHILD'S OR INfant's nurse, can take full charge. $35-$40. 10266.

WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSE TAKE CARE OF invalid, Los Angeles or elsewhere. 5815 GRACITA PLACE. Mrs. Wilkinson.

WANTED—NEAT COLORED GIRL WANTS WORK in private family half a day. Phone BROADWAY 5098.

WANTED—POSITION AS GROCERY CLERK, HAD 8 months' experience. Can give references. HOME PHONE F2780.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER, NO objection to children, can furnish best of references. Apply 424½ W. 27TH ST.

WANTED—LADY WISHES LIGHT WORK WHERE she can go home at night; best of references. A5629, Room 5.

WANTED—BY MIDDLE AGED LADY, NURSING, best of references. $12.50 a week. HOME 29684.

WANTED — TO MANAGE A FIRST-CLASS apartment-house, excellent references. Phone 25548, from 11 to 4 p.m.

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

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WANTED—A YOUNG COUPLE WISH TO SEcure employment in office in Arizona; wife first-class book-keeper; husband, stenographer, book-keeper or office manager; best of references; good clean habits; want to get away from large city; would like to locate in good mining or growing town in Arizona. Address K, box 423, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — JAPANESE, RELIABLE MAN AND woman, gardener, chauffeur, butler, cook and house worker, want positions in private family, city or country. Kindly write me. M., 1418 S. Flower st.

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE, RANCH, WIFE cook; permanent position. 1512 W. 48TH ST. Vermont 1840.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—BUNDLE WASHINGS TO TAKE HOME; rough dried or finished; hand work done; called for, delivered. Phones 20396, South 5905, MRS. MILLER.

WANTED—ANY KIND OF DAY WORK BY American woman. $1.60 per day. Phone WEST 5781.

WANTED—LAUNDRY WORK IN PRIVATE FAMily by colored lady. 814 SAN JULIAN. Broadway 654.

WANTED—WHITE WOMAN WANTS ANY KIND of day's work or half day's. BROADWAY 3211.

WANTED—WORK BY DAY OR HOUR, AFTER 6. WILSHIRE 1199.

WANTED—CARPENTERING—
Painting, Paper Hanging, Tinting.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, DECORATing, by two brothers, 14 years' city references; finest workmanship, lowest prices. We need the work. Permanently established. WILSHIRE 5660; 556837. Exchange work for automobile.

WANTED—PAPERHANGING, PAINTING, TINTing and patch plastering, by competent workman; hardwood floors finished. Call on us for estimates. Home Phone 557015, J. F. SHEEDER.

WANTED—PAINTER LOOKING FOR PAINTING and tinting job will contract reasonable price; good references. I kill stains on the plaster. PHONE 41951.

WANTED—ROOMS TINTED, $1.00 UP; BIDS on painting and paperhanging cheerfully given. PHONE 28256.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERHANGing; best materials, best workmanship; work guaranteed. GOODWIN, F3115, 788½ S. Hill st.

WANTED—PAPER HANGING PAINTING, TINTing, patch plaster and roof repairing, reasonable work guaranteed. PHONE West 5902.

WANTED—PLASTERER WANTS DAY WORK OR patch work, reasonable. Phone WEST 4545.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED— WANTED—
ATTENTION
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS.
The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of this particular issue.
Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit your partnership propositions, business chances and other business ventures at a minimum cost.
TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

WANTED—PARTNER IN PLANT MANUFACTURing staple auto accessories and selling to jobbing trade only, with field unlimited; this is an established business in good standing, and is really a rare opportunity for the right man. Address TJ, box 303, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR ONE-HALF OR ONE-third interest in well-established paper specialty brokerage; for sale to an outside salesman only; fullest investigation. Reply, stating your previous connections. Address XO, box 44, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR ESTABLISHED AND well paying second-hand machinery and junk business. $2000 required for half interest, which would be amply secured. Address O, box 121, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$500 BUYS WORKING INTEREST, grocery specialty manufacturing business. Phone A5853, or call 476 N. Beaudry ave. MR. ARNOLD.

WANTED — HELPER, $900 BUYS HALF SUBstantial business now paying $215 to $550 monthly; take $450 down. Particulars, 355 S. BROADWAY. Room 201.

WANTED — PARTNER TO ASSIST HYPNOTIST and magician. Address O, box 47, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—FURNISHED HOUSES—
WELL LOCATED MODERN HOUSES
OF SIX TO TEN ROOMS,
FROM $100 TO $200 PER MONTH.
CLIENTS WAITING FOR SAME.
WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO.,
403 S. HILL, GROUND FLOOR, 403 S. HILL.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER BLDG.

WANTED — NURSE WANTS TO RENT SMALL, nicely furnished house, in good location, near car line, west part of city preferred; would board owner. Rent must be reasonable. Good references. Address full particulars to N, box 208, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT, 3 OR 4-ROOM FURNISHED flat or apartment, west side, will take lease for one year and pay all or part in good monthly payment interest bearing paper. Address 1008 HAAS BLDG., Home Phone A2806.

WANTED—A LARGER RANCH TO OPERATE ON shares, have had several years' experience in power farming. Have own help. Address O, box 134, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED SUBURBAN home in Oneonta Park, South Pasadena; 9 rooms, large grounds, oak trees, etc. Thoroughly modern. HOME PHONE 35006.

WANTED—FOUR-ROOM FURNISHED COTTAGE with modern conveniences, also yard; price $15. Will be permanent. Address O, box 64, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I WANT TO RENT SPACE IN GArage to space 3 or 4 automobiles; also want space for work bench. Address K, box 390, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—4 OR 5-ROOM COTTAGE, FURNISHed, near school; have children. C. A. ALBRECHT, 600-615 E. Fifth st.

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF HIGH STANDARD would like room in private family, no objections to younger folks. Address O, box 103, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED—BY GENTLEMAN AND BOY 10, IN private family, located on East Side; Montecito Park preferred. Address L, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Houses.

WANTED—HOUSE AND LOT. WILL PAY FOR same in $1240 equity in 160 acres, Kern county; $350 first mortgage; and a clear lot. 502 MASON BLDG.

WANTED—
Real Estate for Cash.

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WANTED—TO BUY
High-class residence or country property. Price must be right at $75,000 to $125,000. Owners only. Box 40, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE—

WANTED — TO BUY SOME CHEAP LAND IN Northeastern Colorado; state lowest price and terms, if any. DR. SWIFT, 408 Story Bldg.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE—

WANTED—GOOD BUNGALOW OR RESIDENCE for my equity in 3 unrestricted business lots, 150x140 to 20-ft. alley; mortgage $2000; price $6000; will assume mortgage. FRANKLIN HARPER, owner, 1002 Van Nuys Bldg. A1904; Main 287.

WANTED—STRICTLY MODERN 4-FLAT BUILDing, west side or Hollywood, to $15,000 or residence, Wilshire section, value $7500, balance cash. See A. S. BARKER, 506 Trust & Savings Bldg. Main 8233, F4270.

WANTED—TO RENT ABOUT 5 ACRES OF good sandy land with living house and plenty of water for chicken ranch. W. SAIKI, 357 EAST FIRST ST.

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS.
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TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

WANTED — TEETH, EYEGLASSES, WATCHES, jewelry, highest cash price for old or broken false teeth plates; bridge work, crowns. Highest price paid for all kinds of broken or scrap gold, silver. IDEAL, 414 W. 8th st. A5051, Broadway 1267.

WANTED—AVOID THE CONGESTION, on The Times telephone switchboard by telephoning your Sunday ads Friday or early Saturday.

WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT, AUTO CALLS ANYwhere to make cash offer; entire libraries purchased. HOLMES BOOK CO., 333 S. Main st. Phone M. 1855, M. 1675, A1808, Broadway 1835.

WANTED — FALSE TEETH; BIG MONEY PAID for old gold and silver; broken false teeth, with or without gold; jewelry, any kind. See us to get full value. L. A. REFINERY, 750 S. Spring st.

WANTED—TO BUY OR SELL FOR CASH, OLD-fashioned jewelry, silverware, laces, antiques, old gold. 614 W. SIXTH, near Grand.

WANTED—CHEAP JOHN PAYS HIGHEST PRICES, men's clothing, tools, revolvers, jewelry, suit cases, etc. Main 3739, 716 E. 5TH ST. Will call.

WANTED—CAMERA ANASTIGMAT LENS, STATE size and lowest price. Address N, box 230, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT, AUTO CALLS ANYwhere to make cash offer. DAWSON'S BOOK SHOP, 518 S. Hill, Main 3859, F3250.

WANTED—I WILL BUY YOUR OLD MAGAZINES and newspapers. Will call for them. J. PARKUS, 617 E. 24th st.

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR FEATHER BEDS, 758 SAN PEDRO ST., Main 1166.

WANTED—
Diamonds and Jewelry.

WANTED—DIAMONDS! DIAMONDS! DIAMONDS! I can't begin to fill the orders I have before me for diamonds. To meet my customers' demands I am willing to pay top notch prices for your diamonds of any size or quality. Private rooms. J. C. FERGUSSON, 204-6 Homer Laughlin Bldg. 315 S. Broadway.

WANTED — DIAMONDS ARE HIGHER THAN ever before, owing to war conditions; now is the time to sell; we pay market cash prices for any amount of diamonds and old jewelry. Call and get our offer before selling elsewhere. Private. PALACE JEM JEWELRY CO., 308 W. 7th.

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH—
Diamonds, jewelry, old gold, pearls, silverware, furs, rugs, typewriters and all valuable articles. Confidential, private rooms.
MARKWELL & COMPANY,
300 Citizens National Bank Bldg.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, ANTIQUES bought for cash. CROUCH & CO., 758 S. Hill street.

WANTED—DIAMONDS BOUGHT AND PAY MORE. DIAMOND loans made also, 1 to 2 per cent. KUSEL, 306-7 Stimson Bldg. Third and Spring.

WANTED—
Discarded Clothes.

WANTED—A SUPPLY
For Three Stores.
TOP PRICES PAID FOR MEN'S AND LADIES' USED CLOTHING BY COHEN'S MISFIT CLOTHING HOUSE, PACIFIC COAST'S LARGEST AND MOST RELIABLE DEALER. A COURTEOUS BUYER AT YOUR CALL IN A PRIVATE AUTOMOBILE ANYWHERE IN LOS ANGELES AND VICINITY. 805½ S. SPRING, 111 E. SEVENTH. MAIN 4024—F2890.
Wanted a Supply
For Three Stores.

WANTED—
Positively the highest price paid for used clothing; largest buyer on Pacific Coast. Will call anywhere, any time. Business done confidentially.
C. H. EDELMAN,
558 Maple. A3976. Broadway 4685.

WANTED—DISCARDED CLOTHING, MEN'S AND ladies'; highest prices paid. Try us. 64980. 1065½ E. SEVENTH.

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR MEN'S discarded clothing. Call anywhere. Phone 82997. 124 SOUTH SPRING.

WANTED—MEN'S OLD CLOTHING, SHOES AND tools; highest prices. 20333. 109 EAST FIRST STREET.

WANTED—
Furniture.

WANTED—WE PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICE FOR all kinds of furniture, household goods, any amount for spot cash. Be sure to call us before you sell. We pay more.
J. J. SUGARMAN, Auction & Com. House, 142-148 N. Spring St., 112-116 Court St. F4810. Main 3114.

WANTED—REED & HAMMOND, GENERAL AUCtioneers, 1053-55 S. Main st., near 11th. Oldest and largest auction house in the West. Experts in every branch of auction work. Watch our ads and attend the big sales. Cash advanced on consignments, or will buy for cash. For all information call up F3545. BROADWAY 2800.

WANTED—HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNIture, highest cash price paid. Get our offer before you sell.
COLGAN-HENDERSON FURNITURE CO., 724 South Main St.
Main 2058. F3058.

WANTED—WE PAY CASH FOR ALL KINDS of household goods, restaurant and office fixtures. Call us before selling. 61506. BDWY. 1300.

WANTED—WE BUY FURNITURE AND HOUSEhold goods of all descriptions, including stoves, rugs, sewing machines, pianos, etc. Phone us before selling. BDWY. 6024. 77218.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND FURNITURE FOR 20-room apartment-house, positively highest price paid. Call BROADWAY 377. A9295.

WANTED — PARTY DESIRES TO PURCHASE complete good furnishings of a private residence. 22236, SOUTH 4526.

WANTED — AM FURNISHING APARTMENTS. Will buy entire house or single pieces. Phone WEST 4084—23835.

WANTED — TO BUY GOOD FURNITURE AND rugs by piece or entire outfit. 77279—VERMONT 4585.

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR USED furniture, CUT RATE FURNITURE STORE, 517 W. Sixth. Broadway 8186.

WANTED—FURNITURE, RUGS, AT ONCE FOR 15 rooms; positively highest prices paid. MAIN 8420.

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR SECONDhand furniture and household goods. 20144.

WANTED—LEVY'S; PAY CASH FOR USED FURniture and carpets, any quantity. BDWY. 1791.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND FURNITURE FOR SEVeral rooms. F5624—BROADWAY 925.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND FURNITURE. HIGHest cash price paid. Call F6100 before you sell.

TO LET—
Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—NEW HOTEL IMPERIAL.
Bdwy. 4764, 919 S. Grand at Ninth, 60193.
MOST MODERATE PRICED DOWNTOWN HOTEL
100 ROOMS OF SOLID COMFORT.
$1 per day and up, with private bath.
$6 per week and up, with private bath.
Rooms new, light and airy. Phones, closets, beautiful furniture, writing desks, all rooms.

TO LET—WHY NOT STOP AT THE HOTEL REVERE? Every modern convenience. Low rates. Location fine. $2 and $3.50 per week. 50c per day. 321½ W. SECOND, at Broadway.

TO LET—2 LARGE SUNNY, FRONT CONNECTING ROOMS, ALSO SINGLE ROOM, REFINED FAMILY; PIANO, VERANDA, GARAGE; REASONABLE. 2783 W. EIGHTH, NEAR RAMPART. 64977. BREAKFAST OPTIONAL.

TO LET—LARGE FRONT ROOM, ALSO SMALL room with private bath, either one, $10; garage if desired, $3; gentlemen only; private home, fine location. 921 W. 21ST ST. Phone West 3195.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE HOME, WALKING DIStance, west, beautiful, large, sunny rooms, parlor furnace, $2 weekly; excellent meals optional. Call after 2:30 afternoons. 628 BIXEL. Broadway 1162.

TO LET—HOTEL FLOWER.
Beautifully furnished rooms, everything new; hot and cold water in every room, baths, $2.50 week up. 506 S. FLOWER. Five minutes' walk Broadway.

TO LET—BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED FRONT room for one or two gentlemen, bath connecting, $10 per month, including heating. 1251 S. FLOWER ST.

TO LET—TO GENTLEMAN, NICELY FURnished room, all conveniences, private home, 15 minutes' walk 6th and Bdwy. 459 LUCAS AVE. Phone 53503.

TO LET—$2 PER WEEK AND UP, ELEGANTly furnished, heated rooms with or without private bath, sleeping porches. 837 S. WESTLAKE. 53293.

TO LET—$1.75, $2 WEEK EACH, CLEAN FURnished housekeeping rooms, baths. 548 EAST PICO.

TO LET—GLENCOE HOTEL.
Outside, steam-heated rooms, $2.50 up wk., best service. 934 W. SEVENTH, near Figueroa.

TO LET—LARGE, SUNNY ROOM, SUITABLE FOR two persons, also two smaller rooms and fine garage. W. Adams district. 22627.

TO LET—HOTEL HEINZEMAN, RIGHT DOWNtown, clean, comfortable, quiet, private baths, telephones, elevator, steam heat; $4 weekly up. 620 S. GRAND AVE.

TO LET — SUPERIOR, 618½ W. SIXTH ST. Kitchen privileges, hot water; walking distance; $2 week up. 65616.

TO LET—CLEAN, COMFORTABLE SLEEPING rooms, right down town, $2.50 weekly up. 647 SOUTH GRAND AVE.

TO LET — CLEAN, COMFORTABLE SLEEPING rooms, $1.50 week up. Second block from Broadway. 412 TEMPLE ST.

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY ROOM WITH PRIvate bath, in private home. Call 51151.

TO LET—
Furnished Rooms.

TO LET— —LOW RATES
THE MOUNTVIEW.
Very Pleasant and Comfortable House.
FIFTH AND HOPE STS.
Lies high, getting fine pure air, light, clean and plenty of sunshine, all outside cheerful single rooms and small apartments; hot and cold water in all rooms and apartments; only 2 minutes' walk to Broadway, our location is the best, and maintenance most excellent; nice small apartments, $8 to $5 per week; fine large light, airy single rooms, $3 to $4 per week; day rates, 50 cents to $1. PHONE F4632.

TO LET—WELL FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, $7 per month. 828 SOUTH FIGUEROA.

TO LET—HOTEL SAVOY, 137 SOUTH BROADway, nice furnished rooms, $1.75 week up.

TO LET—
Housekeeping Rooms, Furnished and Unfurnished.

TO LET—2 COSY NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, heating stove, bath, gas, closets, lights, $11.50. Modern home, fine location. 1683 W. 23RD. West Adams car to Normandie, block north. West 1357.

TO LET—CLEAN, SUNNY, OUTSIDE ROOM, large alcove, living room, kitchen, phone, bath, continuous hot water, everything furnished. $3 week. 415 WEST WASHINGTON.

TO LET—NURSE AWAY MOST OF TIME wants reliable woman, share half of nice furnished cottage, with her, 4 rooms, close in. Very reasonable. 61387.

TO LET—BUSINESS WOMAN ALONE, HAVING large furnished flat, close in, would sublet part cheap to genteel adults. PHONE 51855.

TO LET—THREE FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $10, near Figueroa and Washington. 1958 ESTRELLA AVE.

TO LET—COSY, INEXPENSIVE HOME FOR 2 adults, modern, 2-room bungalow flat, furnished. Telephone garage. 708 W. 47TH ST.

TO LET—3 NICE HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, FINE sleeping porch, also 2 pleasant furnished rooms. 1145 S. OLIVE.

TO LET—
Unfurnished Flats.

TO LET—5-ROOM FLATS, WILSHIRE SECTION, fair prices for beautiful living quarters. Private park and flowers surround the white cement building at San Marino and Harvard. Paved streets; billiard-room, tennis court, lockers, linoleum on floors, white enamel finish. GOOD HEATING APPLIANCES, everything; $36, $38 or $42 monthly by the year. Shorter terms if desired. One smart 4-room bungalow flat, $27. Prices marked on open apartments and you deal with OWNERS, 951 S. Harvard. W. Ninth car. CHASE COMPANY, 403 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2283.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED—
HOUSES—BUNGALOWS—FLATS,
ANYWHERE—ANY SIZE—ANY PRICE.
OVER 2000 TO SELECT FROM.
MANY BRAND NEW.
THE COMBINED LISTINGS OF 60 AGENTS.
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MAIN FLOOR, 724 S. BROADWAY.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL FLATS, WITH INDIVIDual sleeping porches, northwest corner of 8th and New Hampshire; large beautiful decorated rooms, white tiled drainboards in kitchen, built-in bath tub with shower, vacuum cleaning, etc. Nothing like these in city. See OWNER, 3045 W. EIGHTH.

TO LET—725 CATALINA, NEW BEAUTIFUL FLATS, JUST FINISHED, THREE BEDROOMS, TWO BATHS, ONE SHOWER, SOLID MAHOGANY, LARGE PARLORS, DISAPPEARING SCREENS; PRICE $80 AND $85. SEE THEM BY APPOINTMENT. SEE CARL RAY, 931 SOUTH NEW HAMPSHIRE. TELEPHONE 55117.

TO LET—WHITE HOUSE HOME UNIT, 4 TO 6 rooms each, furnished, unfurnished; finished ivory, indirect lighting; shrubs, flowers, lawn, garages, dream homes, special prices before Jan. 1. $29 up; move now. Wilshire district. Heliotrope drive car. Block east Vermont. 3518 GROVE PLACE. Phone 13100. 55405.

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Four-room Flat
with all built-in features, rent to start January 1, 1917. Move in when you like, water paid. Rent $17. Inquire 758 S. GRAND AVE. A1745. Main 2028.

TO LET—NEW SUNNY UPPER FLAT, FOUR rooms and sleeping porch, two nice closets, balcony porch, all built-in conveniences; will rent very cheap, with or without garage, between three car lines; adults only. 2757 W. 11TH ST. Call at 1057 DEWEY AVE. and see owner.

TO LET—AT 1315 W. FOURTH ST., BEAUTIfully finished 4-room flat, oak floors, all built-in features; furnace heat in every room, walking distance, $25. Less by the year. PHONE 77887.

TO LET—THREE 4-ROOM FLATS, HALF BLOCK north of Pico st. on Fourth ave.; very modern; $25 to $35 per month.
J. E. HENRY,
Bdwy. 7735. 411 Investment Bldg. F3299.

TO LET—911 S. NEW HAMPSHIRE, BEAUTIFUL flat, contains living-room, dining-room, with buffet kitchen, with gas range, tiled bath and 2 bedrooms, also sleeping porch and dressing-room and garage; first class; almost new.

TO LET — TWO 4-ROOM FLATS, BATH, GAS, electricity. 1955 E. THIRD ST., one block from East Fourth st. car, $16; also 5-room and porch bungalow, furnished, $15 month. Apply afternoons this week, above address.

TO LET—NEW MODERN UPPER FLAT, FOUR rooms, sleeping porch, garage and storeroom; no house adjoining; oak floors throughout; built-in features. Call 2215½ WEST WASHINGTON STREET. 71913.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE UPPER FLAT, PANELED and papered, large, beautiful bedroom, gas range and heaters, bed, dressing-room, janitor, garage. 1825 OAK ST. Washington car, 15 minutes to town. WEST 264.

TO LET—$18; NEW, MODERN, SIGHTLY SOUTH flat, 3 rooms; 2 disappearing beds; large porches. 1139½ IROLO. Pico car. Wilshire 388 or West 2085.

TO LET—1667 SOUTH HOPE STREET, CLOSE in, no car fare, nice upper flat, 6 rooms, kitchen and bath, good location for subletting housekeeping apartments.

TO LET—FOUR-ROOM UNFURNISHED MODERN flat, disappearing bed, gas stove, all built-in features, garage. 3721 S. MAIN. Phone South 5473M. Car passes door.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE 5-ROOM FLAT WITH every convenience. 1115½ TRENTON ST. One block west of Figueroa, between Eleventh and Twelfth. Phone 25214.

TO LET—BARGAIN PRICE, 4-ROOM FLAT AND garage near Adams and Hoover. Absolutely modern and every convenience. Phone OWNER, Wilshire 1879.

TO LET—ELEGANTLY FINISHED, NEW, HIGH grade, south 4-room flat, with garage, 428 Lake st., ½ block north Westlake Park. Price $37.50. Cheap at $50. Finely located.

TO LET—NEW MODERN FOUR-ROOM UPPER flat, all built-in features, gas range and refrigerator. 148 WEST VERNON AVE., Phone 69235.

TO LET—UPPER AND LOWER 4-ROOM FLAT, strictly modern, disappearing beds, one bedroom, gas range, basement and large porches. 751 E. 18TH. Tel. South 6477-J.

TO LET—FINE 4-ROOM FLAT, ALL MODERN conveniences. Ideal location. 2331 SAN MARINO ST., between Westmoreland and Vermont. West 9th car. Phone 53491.

TO LET — $18; WESTLAKE HEIGHTS, NEW 4 rooms, latest designs, 2 beds, oak throughout, tapestry papered, garage. Oceanview and Burlington. WILSHIRE 2874.

TO LET—5, 6-ROOM OUTSIDE FLAT, FINE location, close in, rent reduced. Apply 1115 S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET—4 ROOMS, UPPER NORTH, LOWER south, never occupied; modern; between 16th and Washington. 1657 ARDMORE AVE.

TO LET—VERY ATTRACTIVE 4-ROOM FLAT, 2 disappearing beds, large sunny bedroom, balcony. 1422 HARVARD BLVD.

TO LET — LISTEN—NEW, MODERN, 4-ROOM upper flat, Pico Heights. Just what you are looking for. WEST 4150, A2124. Owner.

TO LET—TWO SUNNY ROOMS, FIRST FLOOR, flowers and fruit, chicken yard, water paid. $7 month. 1177 WEST 25TH ST. Phone 23895.

TO LET — 6-ROOM FLAT, NEAR 9TH AND Flower; other houses and flats close in. LOVELACE REALTY CO., 712 W. 9th st.

TO LET—CHOICE 5-ROOM FLAT, NEVER OCcupied, every modern convenience, close in, rent very reasonable. Apply 1518 SIXTH AVE.

TO LET—MODERN 5-ROOM SUNNY FLAT, RAdiator heat, range, garage; adults. 167 SOUTH OXFORD AVE., 568506.

TO LET—DESIRABLE 3-ROOM MODERN UPPER south flat; fine location; sunny bedroom. 1500 HARVARD BLVD.

TO LET — $22.50; 6-ROOM, MODERN FLAT; walking distance. 1424½ S. LOS ANGELES ST. Phone 53037.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL MODERN 5-ROOM FLAT, with garage, $30. 1758 WILCOX AVE. Hollywood.

TO LET—GOOD 4 AND 5-ROOM FLATS, CLOSE in, rent $12 to $16. HUBBELL INVESTMENT CO., 502 Bullard Block. Phone A2734.

TO LET—3 AND 4-ROOM CHOICE MODERN flats, 125 W. 40TH PLACE. $15 to $21.

TO LET—
Furnished Flats.

TO LET—
FREE HEAT.
FREE GAS.
FREE ELECTRICITY.
FREE WATER.
437 GRANDVIEW.
Beautiful 3-room apartment flat, exquisitely furnished in mahogany, white enamel, ½ block from Westlake Park, with large porch overlooking park; walking distance; $50, with garage. Phone owner for appointment.
M. M. GILDCHRIST,
608 Haas Bldg. Phone A5525.

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EXCLUSIVE COUNTRY CLUB DISTRICT.
New beautifully furnished, 5-room flats, shower and tile baths, sleeping porch, garage, paved street, janitor service; Pico car. 1246 FIFTH AVE.

TO LET—FLAT, NEWLY FURNISHED MODERN 4 rooms and bath, all built-in effects, two or three beds, piano, clean and sunny, dandy flat for the money. 4355 S. FLOWER., corner Vernon.

TO LET—$23, WORTH $30, EXPOSITION PARK. New 4 rooms, latest designs, 2 beds, oak throughout, tapestry papered, garage. 3790½ WISCONSIN, near Vermont. West 648.

TO LET—NEW SOUTH FLAT, HANDSOMELY furnished, two built-in beds, garage, phone; everything first-class. F2063. Broadway 7438 evenings. 2919¼ BUDLONG. 77097.

TO LET—THREE OR FOUR-ROOM WELL FURnished flat, all conveniences, yard and garage if desired. Call 412 WEST 31ST ST.

TO LET—THREE-ROOM MODERN FLAT, WALL beds, nicely furnished, yard, $18. 1141 W. 36th Place. NOTT. 12036.

TO LET—THREE ROOMS, FURNISHED, SIDE flat with sleeping porch. Broadway 2721. 1407 S. FLOWER.

TO LET—COSY, CLEAN FLAT, THREE ROOMS, screen porch, 2 blocks from Westlake Park. $20. 830 CARONDELET. West 9th car.

TO LET—5-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT; PIANO; walking distance. 552 S. FREMONT.

TO LET—
Furnished Flats.

TO LET—4-ROOM, UP-TO-DATE, FURNISHED flat, sunny, strictly modern, two beds, two phones, free. 77152. WEST 1372.

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED, 4 LARGE, SUNny rooms. Grand-ave. car. Phone VERMONT 3438.

TO LET — SUNNY COTTAGE FLAT, 4 ROOMS, sleeping porch, private balcony, bath, large closets; adults. 54181. 1835 W. 12TH ST.

TO LET—
Apartments, Furnished.

TO LET— —LOW RATES
ARLINGTON GRAND APARTMENTS,
2825 S. GRAND AVE.
A Very Pleasant and Comfortable House.
With its fine lawn, plants, flowers, ornamental trees and front porches, making it a beautiful and comfortable place; finely furnished; single and double apartments, with private baths; also single rooms, with and without private bath; steam heat, hot water, fine lobby, laundry conveniences; good residence district, on Grand ave. car line; few minutes' ride to center city; rates $16 to $25 for single and $30 to $35 for double apartments; single rooms, $12 and $20, without and with bath. Rented by week if desired. Phone HOME 24818, SOUTH 781.

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TO LET—JAMIESON APARTMENTS,

915 CARONDELET.

High-class apartment-house, Westlake district, vacant at present, one 4-room apartment with maid's room, very unusual; occupying entire floor of one wing; 3 exposures, north, east and south; also one single apartment, living-rooms, kitchen, dressing-room and bath, both phones in apartment automatic elevator, etc. 10915. WILSHIRE 2121.

TO LET—BUNTLEY APARTMENTS, COMPLETEly furnished for housekeeping. No. 1207 W. Third st. Take Crown Hill car. Rates $2 to $5 a day, $30 to $100 a month. Every room an outside room. Apartments well heated in winter. Free garage. Two double cement tennis courts. Building reinforced concrete. If you want sunshine, comfort, hospitality, quiet and homelike surroundings, and a modern house at modern cost come to the Buntley. ALLISON BARLOW, owner. Phones: Sunset Main 834, Home 10108.

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NEW JEWEL APARTMENTS,
Just Opened.
427 S. ALVARADO ST.
One-half block north Westlake Park, newly furnished, throughout, beautiful 2-room apartments, complete for housekeeping; linen, silver, phones, steam heat, hot water, large dressing rooms, $50 monthly.

TO LET — NO USE HUNTING APARTMENTS. Management knows every Los Angeles vacancy; eight hundred houses. Free automobiles. Why worry? Strangers receive special attention. Service free. Immediate satisfaction guaranteed. APARTMENT ACCOMMODATION BUREAU, Black Bldg., Fourth and Hill.

TO LET—

NEW, MODERN APARTMENTS,
FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED.
WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO.,
403 S. HILL. GROUND FLOOR. 403 S. HILL.

TO LET—KOURT KORINNE.
JUST OPENED, 4 AND 5-ROOM BUNGALOWS, FINISHED IN OLD IVORY; EXCLUSIVE MAHOGANY FURNITURE, AXMINSTER RUGS, $45 UP. 1633 TO 1639 N. KINGSLEY DRIVE. HOLLYWOOD CAR TO KINGSLEY.

TO LET—THE PACIFIC APARTMENTS, 1640 Shatto street. 2-3 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, steam heat, telephones, amusement hall, $19 to $35. West Sixth street car to South Union. WILSHIRE 4780. 556450.

TO LET — SUNNY CORNER, SINGLE, ONLY $17.50; sunny double, only $20; Westlake section. THE SAN MARINO APTS. W. Ninth car to Hoover, go one-half block south to 2618 San Marino st. Home phone 556016.

TO LET—GRAUSTARK, SINGLE AND DOUBLE apartments, free rent until Jan. 1; modern, private baths, phones, steam heat, white kitchen, janitor service. 1350 WRIGHT ST. Pico car. 20124.

TO LET—WESTLAKE PARK, REASONABLE, ONE fine apartment, private bath, private telephone, garage; right place for home people; will make price right. 780 LAKE.

TO LET — ALCAZAR APARTMENTS, CENTRALly located, every modern convenience, prices $19 to $30. 202 N. BROADWAY. Telephone 13487.

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TO LET — LAKESHIRE APTS. EIGHTH AND Coronado, two blocks from Westlake Park; beautifully furnished; outside two and three rooms; modern in every way; very reasonable. 557913; Wilshire 2060.

TO LET—THE BEACON, 716 BEACON ST., NICEly furnished single and double apartments, private bath, phones, heat, hot water, best location in city. $16 to $35.

TO LET—CASA BLANCA, FURNISHED APARTments; quiet neighborhood; mahogany finish; wide halls; large rooms; garage. Corner 38th and S. Hill sts. 25283. SOUTH 3454-W.

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TO LET—LORETTE APARTMENTS.
Cozy new one and two-room apartments, very reasonable. Main-street car service. 118 WEST 31ST ST. 25460.

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TO LET—YSABEL APARTMENTS.
Modern. Steam heated. Reasonable. 130 S. FLOWER.

TO LET — ROBINSON APTS, 928 S. UNION; sunny, homelike, modern 2, 3-room apts., reasonable. W. Ninth car.

TO LET—WASHINGTON APARTMENTS, SINGLE and double apartments, steam heat and all conveniences, reasonable. 1040 W. WASHINGTON.

TO LET—VILLA APARTMENT, 710 CALIFORnia street. Elegant 2 and 3-room suites, private baths. $14, $20.

TO LET—METCALF APARTMENTS, ONE SINGLE apartment, with private bath, $15. 316 METCALF ST. Temple car. 557680.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL APARTMENTS, STEAM heat, sunny, airy; janitor service; private phone. 1716 W. ADAMS.

TO LET—ROSE OF SHARON APARTMENTS, $19. Everything free but gas. Highest point in city. 240 S. BONNIE BRAE. Wilshire 1817.

TO LET—CLOSE IN, $12-$16 2-3 ROOMS, RICHly furnished. 227 S. FIGUEROA.

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Apartments, Unfurnished.

TO LET — SUNNY TWO-ROOM APARTMENT, bath, kitchenette, southeast exposure, upper floor, private home. 222 MOUNT WASHINGTON DRIVE. 31534.

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Lodging, Day or Week.

TO LET—THE NEW ROSEGROVE HOTEL, 532 South Flower st. Unquestionably the neatest, cleanest, very moderately-priced hotel in the West. 120 rooms of solid comfort, steam heat, thoroughly modern, close to theaters, cafes, depots. Look into the hotel and you will stay, like many now with us, who come to us every season. We are good people and don't care who knows it.

TO LET—NOTICE TO TOURIST AND PERMAnent people. An entirely new and modern hotel which affords the comforts of home and insures hospitality, is the
HOTEL PLEASANTON,
A2417. 1120 S. Grand ave. Bdwy. 3221.
Make your reservations now—rates reasonable.

TO LET—PICO HEIGHTS HOTEL.
Hot and cold water and steam heat in each room; rooms and suites with bath; excellent board; very reasonable rates; corner Pico and Vermont. All outside rooms. Phone 52151.

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Buy this beautiful 6-room bungalow for $150 down, balance $25 month, including interest, taxes and insurance; former owner paid $3200 for this house; built only 3 years; yours now for $2900 above terms, just put in new-like condition; can't tell ever lived in; three big closets, full cement porch, no incumbrance. Call MR. HILL, 60127; Main 5647.

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Los Angeles home, value $22,500, mortgage $10,000. Owner non-resident and wants vacant or Pasadena improved for equity. The home is first-class, containing 12 rooms, 3 baths, lot 100x160. F. P. TURNER, LEO G. MACLAUGHLIN CO., 119 E. Colorado st., Pasadena.

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FOR SALE — SACRIFICE, WILSHIRE DISTRICT; nearly new bungalows at 317 and 321 N. Normandie ave.; 6 rooms and garage; $5800; mortgage $3000 each. Make offer, cash, terms, or clear trade. Owner at premises. Phone HOLLYWOOD 2811.

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FOR SALE—$2250, COMPLETELY FURNISHED, 5-room new bungalow, 2687 Second ave., mortgage $1600. Am leaving city; must sell at once. Call TIMES, or WEST 2088.

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Income Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$150,000, 60x110, East 7th st., close to Main, one-story building; foundation for five stories. Loan $60,000. Want clear for equity.
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FOR SALE—TWO FINE SEAL BEACH CORNER lots, one block from ocean, two blocks from center of city; owner will sell direct at sacrifice as he is going East soon. PHONE 79661.

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RANCH OWNER,
733 South Hill Street.

FOR SALE—COUNTRY HOME PLACE IN SYCamore Canyon, Glendale, containing 6.16 acres. About 5 acres in full-bearing apricot trees, 1 acre around house in mixed fruit, berries, etc. 4-room California house, barn and chicken corrals; large live oak tree by the house. Water piped to house and barn. To reach place take Glendale-Eagle Rock car, get off at Sinclair ave., go north to Sycamore ave., east to Sierra ave., first house on left. Price $6200; $2200 down, terms on balance. Write, owner, WEBB W. WILCOX, Wheeler Springs, Cal.

FOR SALE—120 ACRES ON PAVED BOULEvard, the cotton land, near Somerton, Ariz., $125 per acre, one-third cash, balance easy terms, 7 per cent.; 160 acres, ¼ mile west of boulevard, fine land, $17,000; $1000 cash, balance terms, 7 per cent. This land is all of the best cotton land with cheap river water for irrigation. C. H. KENT, 808 Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—20 AND 40-ACRE TRACTS, CHOICE Sacramento Valley, gently rolling, foothill land, good deep soil, ideal for citrus fruits and general farming; 400-ft. elevation, all under Browns Valley irrigation ditch; low irrigation charges; near town, school and good markets; $75 an acre, easy terms. H. D. COSBY, 10 East st., San Francisco.

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FOR SALE—640 ACRES HILL LAND, RIVERside Co., only $1.85 per acre. $204 first payment, balance 5 years, 6 per cent. Good to trade on. 502 MASON BLDG.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES, 1-4 MILE FROM HANson Station, on Santa Ana line, big snap. 502 MASON BLDG. Phone F1772.

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FOR SALE — SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD lands for alfalfa, fruit, vegetables, grain and dairying in Antelope Valley; one-tenth cash, ten years' time. S. P. LAND AGENCY, 410 Grosse Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

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FOR SALE—5 ACRES AT ALPAUGH IN TULARE county, $50 per acre. V. A. PATTERSON, 413 East 7th St.

MOUNTAIN AND CANYON—
Property.

FOR SALE—A 176-ACRE MOUNTAIN APPLE and pear ranch, 12 miles from Redlands, 6 acres full bearing, 6 acres three years old, balance in raw condition. Owner will sell direct at a sacrifice as his business calls him East by January 10. PHONE 79661.

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San Francisco Property.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE — MAKE OFFER for my $2500 equity in a 9-room residence in San Francisco; can be rented for $50 per month; fine neighborhood; six blocks from Golden Gate Park; 15 minutes' ride to beach. Address OWNER, 520 S. Broadway, Los Angeles.

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WANTED—RAW LAND.
Have 100-acre orange and lemon grove, Riverside, 7-year-old, in fine condition, good improvements, horses and tools, abundance of water. Price $100,000. $7000 crop on trees. Owner wants good raw land in San Joaquin Valley to full value.
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Ten sections of rich level farming land in Fresno county, $22.50 per acre; easy terms. Apply to M. W. MULLER, 315 Forsyth Bldg., Fresno, Cal.

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FOR SALE—
Imperial Valley snap, improved, 80 acre alfalfa ranch, near Brawley at a price that makes it the best buy in the valley. Will take house up to $3000 or $4000, some cash, easy terms on balance.
See SOUTHLAND FARMING COMPANY,
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FOR EXCHANGE—320 ACRES IN RED RIVER Valley, near Breckenridge, Minn. Fine improvements. Fine land, all under cultivation. Will trade for Southern California property. No junk considered. T. J. KARR (owner,) 12353 WEST 36TH PLACE, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONLY TO OWNERS WHO want a good large business corner lot, Highwood, Ill., close to Chicago. Want 6-room bungalow, Moneta avenue, Main street, or Central ave. 1111 WEST 11TH ST., 53050.

EASTERN-NORTHERN PROP'TY
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FOR SALE—80 ACRES OF CHOICE FRUIT land close to Exeter, Tulare county, Cal., to trade for Iowa land. Is on boulevard. Clear. Price $18,000. For further information call on or address A. B. SELLARS, Exeter, Cal.

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160 acres, relinquishment; water 15 feet; $1250 actual money spent on improvements; surrounded by alfalfa ranches, fruit and stock raising; small house, 12-in. steel cased well, 100 feet deep, alone cost $500; three years' work done. Will trade for anything in city of equal value. H. A. REA, Wilmington, Cal.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

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WANTED — ORANGE, LEMON OR WALNUT grove in exchange for one of the very choicest alfalfa ranches, right at McFarland, highly improved and clear. Will take grove in Orange county from $20,000 to $100,000.
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Associated Hotel Brokers,
512 Title Ins. Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—CHRISTMAS GIFTS—100-room apartments, Sixth and Grand, all modern; price $5000; small payment down; also 50-room hotel, well South Broadway, $2500, part down; also vacant hotels and apartment-houses for lease. MACDERMOTT, 508 Mason Bldg.

FOR SALE—MEN'S ROOMING-HOUSE, 45 SINgle rooms, rent $100 month, 2 years' lease; close to Sixth st.; clean and nicely furnished; all filled; ground floor reading-room and office. Price $900. Steady money-maker. Get this at the KEYSTONE SO., 657½ S. Hill.

FOR SALE — 28-ROOM HOTEL, FURNITURE good, fine entrance, $850.
40-room hotel, rent $150; doctor pays $80.
RYAN & STANLEY,
410 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE IN THE MARKET FOR a hotel or apartment-house and want to get it at a bargain, see me. If you have one for sale at a bargain, list it with me and get action quick. MOLSNESS, 516 Grant Bldg. A1807.

FOR SALE—26 ROOMS, SINGLE, HOT AND cold water, every room, corner brick building, rent $100, average room rent $15 per month. Big money-maker. Price $1500. Some terms. SCHLITT, 341 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—RIGHT ON HILL ST.
Very close in, 24 rooms, good furnishings, low rent, long lease; all filled; present owner four years. Price $600. Try us for real bargains. KEYSTONE CO., 657½ S. Hill.

FOR SALE—$750 GIVES POSSESSION OF THIS elegantly furnished 30-room strictly modern hotel, downtown, steam heat, private baths, marble entrance, rent $4.50 per room. See HOME INVESTMENT CO., 309 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—AM FORCED TO SELL BEAUTIFUL furniture of ten room house, at sacrifice. (Call today after 2:30.) no reasonable offer refused. 628 BIXEL; (rent cheap.)

FOR SALE—DOWNTOWN BRICK ROOMING house with running hot and cold water, 19 rooms, good grade furnishings. Price $1350, terms, $700 cash. No agents. 556584.

FOR SALE—GOOD BARGAIN, $850 BUYS EXtra well furnished rooming house of 12 rooms, one floor, two baths, west side, walking distance. No agents. 556584.

FOR SALE—HOTEL GLOBE, 19 ROOMS, ALL filled, good business; owner has other business, must sell. A bargain for someone. Call 119½ EAST FIRST ST.

WANTED—ROOMING OR APARTMENT, LEASE, have $200 cash and $1400 equity in. Beautiful 7-room bungalow, $4200. SCHWARTZ, 562 W. 84th st. Vermont 3036.

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE OF TEN ROOMS, all rented, cheap rent. Price $125. 256 E. 6TH ST.

WANTED — AVOID VEXATIOUS DELAYS BY telephoning your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

APARTMENT HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—75 ROOMS, WEST SIDE, ALL FULL, good lease, cheap rent, $2500.
65 rooms, West Side, worth $6000; will sell for $3000.
40-room apartments, all taken, furniture good; cheap rent; price $1500.
20-room Westlake apartment-house, rent $80; house all full; furniture swell; price $1050.
RYAN & STANLEY, 410 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE AND DESIRABLE lease of fine large Westlake apartment-house; between 70 and 80 rooms; cash price $2500 (reduced from $15,000.) Most remarkable buy in America. One-fifth its value. Elegant massive furniture; beautiful building; exceedingly low rent. Clear of debt. All full. It's a fortune! Bring cash with you. DR. EDWARDS, 1427 Griffith ave., 21136.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Fine apartment home, 4-story brick building, leased for five years, including furniture; price $175,000. Mortgage $60,000, for 5 years at 6 per cent. Want land or city to $100,000, clear. F. P. TURNER, LEO G. MACLAUGHLIN CO., 119 E. Colorado st., Pasadena.

TO LET—1400 WEST 7TH STREET, VERY nice unfurnished apartment house of 35 rooms, arranged in single and double apartments, every convenience, close in.

LIST YOUR APARTMENT AND ROOMING-houses with us, for sale or exchange. 502 MASON BLDG. Phone F1772.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
Modern four-flat building on West 40th st.; income $90 per month. Price $11,000; mortgage $5500; want clear bungalow for equity. CHAS. GLOVER, 604 Wright & Callender Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—
BARGAINS EVERY ONE!
Business Property, Residences, Orange Groves.
WANT
East of Main street or Residence.
Middle Western or Eastern.

$450,000—Income business near Broadway and Eighth, nothing better; Want brick apartment or vacant or East of Main st., Los Angeles, or full-bearing orange grove or California land or eastern city or Middle Western farm (Texas, Colorado, Montana, Nebraska, Ohio,) or Canada, to $250,000.

$147,500—Hill street, near Hamburger's, 50x160 to alley. Will double in value! Want brick apartment, residence, vacant or east of Main st., Los Angeles to $90,000. Might consider improved Middle West farm or eastern city.

$75,000—Westlake brick apartment, 72 rooms, modern. A snap. Want vacant lots, residence, orange grove or Middle West farm or eastern city to $40,000.

$75,000 — Ocean Park apartment, near Ocean Front and the Pier. A beauty! Will consider subdivision, vacant lots, residence or land in California, Middle West or East to $40,000.

$40,000—Corner near W. 7th and Union, 135x120. Finest apartment site in Los Angeles. Want residence, land, vacant lots or grove or eastern to $20,000.

$45,000 — Ocean Park, near King George Hotel, 83x128, corner. Rental value $2000 year. A dandy! Want residence or what to $30,000?

$25,000—Income orange grove, Covina, 10 acres. This is choice! Want residence or vacant lots in Los Angeles, Pasadena or beach to $18,000. Might consider eastern.

$12,500—Long Beach, new, modern bungalow, 9 rooms, hardwood floors, furnace, on paved Locust ave. Actual cost! Want Los Angeles, Pasadena or Ocean Park or eastern to $8500.

$7500—Los Angeles, modern 7-room bungalow, every convenience, near Rampart blvd. and Second. Want clear local or eastern to $5000.

(Mr. Holland or Mr. Dryden.)
JOHN P. HOLLAND COMPANY,
341-42-43 Title Insurance Bldg.
F3563. Fifth and Spring sts. Bdwy. 690.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN, WELL-BUILT 6-room bungalow, 5132 S. St. Andrews place; between W. 51st and 52nd sts., fine street work, all paid, must be traded subject to mortgage of $2000; 4 years, 7 per cent. What will you offer for equity? Will accept clear lots, clear house and lot, clear land, or any good property. Would like clear land near Hemet or San Jacinto, on ditch of Citizens' Water Company of San Jacinto. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — NEAT 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, 5020 Lincoln ave., near Avenue 50, and one block from end of York Blvd. car line; lot 40x135, with fine garage; must trade, subject to a mortgage of $1250; make offer for equity. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington Bldg. Phone Main 3335.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL MODERN RESIdence, 10 rooms, furnished, in very best section South Pasadena; lot 100x175 ft.; grounds parked; garage; value $18,000; want clear lots or property for my equity of $9000. Will exchange on bank appraisements. Address OWNER, K, box 392, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE INDUSTRIAL LOT, FIVE-room bungalow and other property in Los Angeles. Wants land near Paso Robles. Address J, box 495, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED—IMPROVED ACREage, near Los Angeles. Have $5000 worth of rented residence property and late model Cadillac touring automobile, to exchange. OWNER, 431 E. 7TH ST.

WANTED—EQUITY IN BUNGALOW IN EXchange for $650 equity in fine corner lot, 70x157, 3 years' mortgage, $350. Address O, box 114, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN 6-ROOM BUNGAlow, southwest, equity $1800, first mortgage $1800. Want lots or small place, local or suburban. 1208 WEST 52ND, Vermont 2716.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE — ONE-ACRE CHICKEN OR dairy ranch; 20 minutes from Broadway; 5c car. Want lots or acreage. HARRY A. GOLDMAN, 503 California Bldg. Main 957—A1204.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Beach Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—A FOUR ROOM BEACH COTtage furnished, valued at $1600, mortgage $600. Will trade equity as down payment, on bungalow at right value, in southwestern Los Angeles. PHONE 79661.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

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FOR EXCHANGE—40-ACRE RANCH NEAR ONtario, all in 12-year-old apricots, figs and peaches. House, barn and pumping plant, mortgage $4000. Will trade for anything or borrow $2000 on. See HILL, 212 UNION OIL BLDG. Phone 10633.

FOR EXCHANGE—$2500, 5 ACRES, ADJOINING Corona, 4-room cottage, pumping plant, outbuildings, chicken corrals, etc. Mortgage $500. Submit. IGRAM, 614 Hibernian Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
I have bargains in Tulare and Fresno county alfalfa ranches.
E. D. COWAN,
Main 3440. 228 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$3000 EQUITY IN 10 ACRES on Santa Ana line, 1-4 mile from station; $2000 incumbrance. Make offer. 502 MASON BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—$500, 5 ACRES NEAR TORrance on corner Western avenue. Choice property. Submit. 614 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE BARGAINS IN SAN Joaquin Valley ranches, for sale or exchange. F8630. A. GIESBRECHT, 347 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$10,000, 54 ACRES ON R.R. near Lindsay, with water, very choice property. Submit. INGRAM, 614 Hibernian Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—BETWEEN 6 AND 9 O'CLOCK Saturday evenings The Times' telephone switchboard is swamped with "Want ads." Avoid delay by telephoning your Sunday ads Friday or early Saturday.

FOR EXCHANGE — I MATCH ANY TRADE IN farm or city property in any state. J. A. KING, Room 1, Lyon Block, Riverside, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—$6500, 4 FLAT BUILDING, nearly new, mortgage, $3500. Submit. INGRAM, 614 Hibernian Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—CAN EXCHANGE YOUR PROPerty. Submit proposition: 24 hours. GOODWIN, 420 W. Sixth.

FOR EXCHANGE — BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your present property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

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CAPITAL MAY FIND A PROFITABLE FIELD in a corporation doing a wholesale business which is well established. Any one looking for a good and permanent connection and able and willing to make an investment of capital is invited to answer. Must give name and present and former connections with two names of responsible people as references. Address N, box 232, TIMES OFFICE.

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE endeavor to telephone ads to The Times the same time Saturday evening. Do it Friday or early Saturday and avoid confusion.

NEED PARTNER, SOME MONEY, BUY INTEREST business, clears $1000 monthly. Particulars 355 S. BROADWAY, Room 201.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

GROCERY STORE, 2729 HOOPER AVE. INvoiced $311; will sell $200 or trade what? Inquire SHERINYAN, 829 San Julian St.

1000 BUSINESS CARDS, $1½. OTHER PRINTING in proportion. REMS PRINTING CO., 211 Mercantile place. Bdwy. 82. (Bear Lock Co.)

FOR SALE—FINE CANDY SHOP; MUST SACRIfice; good-paying business. Call at 211 MERCANTILE PLACE.

PIANOS MOVED IN CITY, $2; FURNITURE, $1 and up. CUT RATE MOVING CO., Phone Boyle 2665.

BE AN EXCEPTION—
Don't wait until the last moment to telephone your Sunday ads to The Times. Do it Friday or early Saturday.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

GET THE REGAL SHOE AGENCY—
NEARLY EVERY TOWN IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA IS OPEN FOR A REGAL SHOE AGENCY TO AN EXPERIENCED YOUNG MAN OF GOOD STANDING, WHO HAS SUFFICIENT CAPITAL TO OPEN STORE. WE HAVE REFUSED TO ESTABLISH AGENCIES IN THESE TOWNS UNTIL NOW. SEE IMMEDIATELY AND GET CHOICE OF TOWNS. WE HAVE A GREAT PROPOSITION FRANCHISE TO OFFER YOU. THE OPPORTUNITY IS YOURS.
REGAL SHOE STORE, 302 S. BDWY.

PLUMMER & SHELDON, 316½ S. SPRING ST.
CLEAR TITLES. MERCANTILE REF., F3102.
$475—GROCERY, living rooms, $20 daily, invoice.
$225—REST., Low rent, $20 daily, closed Sunday.
$1500—GROCERY, rent $20, W. S., invoice, terms.
$950—DELICATESSEN, groc., cl. $150 mo. Terms.
$500—ROUTE, butter, eggs, 200 steady customers, clears $35 wk., trial, guar. Will teach.
$900—GARAGE, repairs, steady boarders, low rent, cl. $175 mo. Hires 2 men. Investigate.
$1600—POOLROOM, cigars, good pay roll town, clears $200 mo. up, trial. Genuine bargain.
$1800—CONFECTIONERY, elegant fix. Low rent, in heart of city, liv. rooms, good income.
$5500—APARTMENTS, west side, 72 rooms, steam heat, income $700 mo., good terms.
See PLUMMER & SHELDON, 316½ S. SPRING ST.

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STOP—YOU ARE LOOKING FOR AN OPPORtunity to go in business for yourself, or you would not be reading these columns. We therefore extend you a special invitation to call at our office and look over our list of many bona fide business opportunities in all lines, which we are offering for sale or exchange. We escrow every sale, and guarantee clear titles. We are old established and can furnish the best of references. You take no risk, and our services are free. Honesty is our policy. CLINE & JACKSON, Room 527, Security Bldg., Fifth and Spring. Phone A5806, Broadway 1249.

I HAVE ONE OF THE BEST APARTMENT-houses in the city of Los Angeles, on long lease, netting $1000 per month profit. Diversified business interests make it impossible for me to continue personal management. Will make proposition to experienced apartment house manager on ownership basis so that property can be purchased out of profits. Profits are not imaginary. Books show returns as above stated under expert accountant. See GUY M. RUSH, 901 Story Bldg.

I HAVE A BILLIARD BUSINESS THAT HAS NETTED OVER $400 PER MONTH THE PAST YEAR; I MUST SELL HALF TO RESPONSIBLE PARTY, OR ALL, AS I MUST LEAVE HERE FOR MEXICO; THIS IS NOT A BASEMENT "DEAD ONE," BUT THE BEST IN LOS ANGELES. HALF REQUIRES $2000 CASH, OR ALL $3500. I DON'T WANT CURIOSITY SEEKERS OR AGENTS. ADDRESS H.H., BOX 251, TIMES OFFICE.

REDIPHONES—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF these handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books valued at 75 cents each, the coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8290 or Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "Rediphone," collecting at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "Rediphone" only will be delivered to each customer.

A WELL RATED AND ESTABLISHED MANUfacturing corporation wants capable business man to manage branch office and handle salesmen; enormous profit; $300 to $1000 capital necessary. Write for particulars and get in business for yourself. Address GLORIA CO., 1427 Carroll ave., Chicago, Ill.

FOR SALE—STATE SELLING RIGHTS FOR THE Godfrey Motor Lock Valve, combined locking and filtering device that will fit any automobile; the only absolute thief-proof auto lock on the market. For particulars apply to GODFREY MOTOR LOCK & MANUFACTURING CO., 432 Boston Block, Seattle, Wash.

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY.
New company, incorporating to sell 100,000 shares of treasury stock (only at 10 cents share.) Prefer one or two buyers; property consists of high-grade copper; your investigation will convince you of its merit. If interested do not delay. Address L, box 285, TIMES OFFICE.

AUTO WORKS, GARAGE AND SERVICE STAtion, now doing an exceptionally good business, low rent and valuable lease; storage will pay all expenses; must sacrifice as owner is leaving city this week. MR. LEWIS, Broadway 3448 or A3443.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS CONSISTING OF GROceries, hardware and gents' furnishings, doing first-class business. All new stock, located in small growing town. Will take about $3000 to handle. Brothers can't agree is only reason for selling. Address owners, K, box 391, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

PROMOTER AND STOCK SALESMAN, WANTS to hear from moving picture company or feature films who need money. Furnish $150,000 this year for feature films, all particulars in first letter. Address K, box 403, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

CONFECTIONERY AND LUNCH BUSINESS, BUSY transfer corner; clears $200 monthly; am physically unable to handle; will sacrifice for $850; terms to suit. 206 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—BARGAIN IN beautiful little confection, delicatessen and lunch business, low rent, attractive place, close in. Address K, box 395, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

MAIL ORDER ARTICLE — NEW TELEPHONE switchboard device. Want party take interest and selling agency. Several hundreds dollars required. See MR. THOMPSON, Young Apts., Main 9300.

HAVE GOOD POSITION IN LIGHT MANUFACturing business, with good income assured for energetic man who can invest $500. Address K, box 419, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—SMALL REAL ESTATE OFFICE, roll top desk, typewriter, chairs, etc., $30 or best offer. Call for particulars, 502 MASON BLDG.

FOR SALE—NICE CLEAN STOCK OF GROceries, living rooms, cheap rent, just the place for two; all cash, no delivering. Call BROADWAY 4831.

TELEPHONE "WANT ADS"
for insertion in the Sunday Times should be ordered before the rush of business Saturday night.

A LADY WISHES SOBER, RELIABLE PARTNER with $250, an established business will net you about $125 per month, experience unnecessary if willing worker. 823 S. HILL.

CIGAR STORE IN LARGE OFFICE BUILDING; clears $150 monthly; no night or Sunday work; a bargain at $800; or will invoice. Inquire 208 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

PRECISION MOTION PICTURE WORKS. WE are fully equipped to design and develop your ideas. Experimental work and manufacturing. Visit our up-to-date shop. 550 S. FIGUEROA ST.

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILE AGENCY IN HOLLYwood. Good make of cars. Very little capital required. Address O, box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—3-YEAR ESTABLISHED LUNCH ROOM on Auto Row; can be bought this week on your own time. See OWNER before 3 p.m., 1050 S. Olive.

FOR SALE—DAIRY WITH RETAIL ROUTE, San Gabriel valley, cows tested, about $2000 cash, balance time. Address M, box 214, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—THE BAKERSfield Times Agency. Address SHARPLES, box 665, Bakersfield, Cal.

FOR SALE—OLD-ESTABLISHED DYE WORKS, lots of busheling work; good location; cheap rent; don't miss a good chance. PHONE 41635.

TRUSTWORTHY PARTNER WANTED, $750 BUYS half interest industrial business, paying $250 to $400 monthly. Particulars, 201 GRANT BLDG.

SPECULATORS CALL EARLY. $1000 GROCERY stock, $600 for QUICK SALE. Am leaving. 511 DELTA BLDG., 426 Spring.

DON'T PROCRASTINATE—
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FOR SALE—OWNER RETIRING FROM BUSINESS wishes to sell, smart little gift shop in the heart of Hollywood. Address or call 6631 HOLLYWOOD BLVD.

FOR SALE—OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS, FINE location, long lease, pays $650 net a month. Will stand rigid investigation. M. H. WELLS, 520 Metropolitan Bldg. F3823.

FOR SALE—GOOD PAYING BAKERY NEAR schools; large bake oven with stock on hand; will stand investigation. Price right. 5251 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE — NICE SMALL STORE, CLEAN stock, soda fountain, ice cream; must be seen to be appreciated; 3 living-rooms and small storehouse. 5879 COMPTON AVE. South 5725W.

$100 OR AUTOMOBILE, SNAP. MUST SELL MY old established real estate business, including good building, furniture, listings worth $350; poor health; don't delay. WILSHIRE 659.

$3000 CASH WILL HANDLE A SALOON CLEARing better than $225 per week, balance notes. (Sickness.) Address N, box 298, TIMES OFFICE.

$1500 CASH FOR A RESTAURANT CLEARING $300 per month, five years in business. (Sickness.) Address N, box 279, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BEST RESTAURANT PROPOSITION in town, cash or terms. Call SHAW, Main 6403.

FOR SALE — SHOWCASES, SODA FOUNTAINS; largest stock in the West. WEBER SHOWCASE AND FIXTURE CO., 316-330 S. Los Angeles st.

SALE OR TRADE, BAKERY, COMPLETE, FINE brick oven, groceries, candy; will consider clear lot. 2110 BROOKLYN AVE.

FOR SALE—FINELY LOCATED POOLROOM, EXcellent business. 842 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—GROCERY, BEST LOCATION IN town, clears $175 to $200 month. CALL 71222.

FOR SALE—CANDY MAKING OUTFIT, SHOWcases, etc., at 937 W. 7TH.

FOR SALE—TAILOR SHOP, 254 S. BROADWAY, room 122.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

BUSINESS CHANCES WANTED—

WANTED—TO BUY THE WHOLE OR HALF INterest in a going, well established, suburban, real estate office, location, the most important consideration, or would join some good party in establishing office. Have experience and ample means, highest references given, and required. Address K, box 388, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—FOR SPOT CASH, STOCKS OF MERchandise, any amount, for spot cash. Also fixtures. Money advanced on consignment.
J. J. SUGARCAN, Auction and Commission House, 142-148 N. Spring st., 112-116 Court st. F4810. Main 2114.

WANTED—I WANT TO RENT SPACE IN GArage to space 3 or 4 automobiles; also want space for work bench. Address K, box 390, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—HAVE FROM $250 TO $1000 TO invest in established business, as partner with service. State particulars. E. A. BRODIE, Gilpin Hotel, City.

WANTED—TO BUY SMALL GROCERY, ONE THAT requires building up preferred, if cheap. 77279, VERMONT 4585.

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SWAPS—
All Sorts.

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FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD 6-ROOM MODERN house, rented, large lot in Ukiah, county seat, Mendocino county, for any kind business, rooming house, automobile. Address N, box 231, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL GIVE YOU A GOOD waterproof roof for your leaky one, at a cost of 60 cents per 100 square feet. CARBOLASTIC does it. HOFFMAN-MARKS HARDWARE CO., 226 S. Main. Home 60046; Main 1499.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1400 EQUITY, 5-ROOM house and ½ acre land, well and fenced, near car line; want barber shop or any good business, or what? Address K, box 404, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—SANTA PAULA HOME, SIX rooms, electric lights, large barn, corner, 60x125, nine bearing fruit trees, clear and insured; cash or trade. Address O, box 55, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—SALE—OR GIVE AWAY—furnished cottage at Newport Beach, BOX 74-A, BEAUMONT, CAL.

FOR EXCHANGE—HIGH-GRADE SINGLE TRIGger shotgun, like new, value $125, cash or trade. Address O, box 56, TIMES OFFICE.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

WE WILL MAKE CONSERVATIVE LOANS ON real estate in Los Angeles and vicinity up to $50,000 at moderate rates; we loan our own capital and will give prompt and courteous attention to applications from owners.
WINTER INVESTMENT CO.,
1109 I. N. Van Nuys Bldg.
F3563. Bdwy. 3836.

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MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE—
Residences, apartments, stores, flats, ranches
IN SUMS OF $50 TO $50,000 AND UP.
Cash for first mortgages.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent. and up.
We act as brokers, placing very large loans.
Commission charged on every loan.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, a corporation,
or Consolidated Mortgage Co.,
426 Washington Bldg. Main 3335.

QUICK SHORT LOANS—$50 TO $1000, 1 TO 12 months, first or second mortgage. Special rates to owners applying direct. No commission. No title fees. Our own funds.
Money same day you apply. Money advanced for taxes, interest and other purposes.
WATERMAN & CO., 904 Merchants' National Bank Bldg., corner Sixth and Spring sts.

MONEY TO LOAN—
MORTGAGES
LOANS } at current rates.
BUILDING LOANS }
JOSEPH M. GORE CO.,
807-808 I. N. Investment Bldg.
Main 4161. Phones: Home F3912.

$25,000 TO LOAN—
$500 TO $5000.
on seconds, if you need money for escrow, taxes, interest, or to close real estate deal. Our own funds. No commission. Prompt action.
LAND MORTGAGE CORPORATION,
905 Trust & Savings Bldg., Sixth and Spring.

MONEY TO LOAN—
On improved city property.
Or for building, on easy terms of repayment.
STATE MUTUAL BLDG. & LOAN ASSOCIATION.
223 S. Spring st.

YOU NOT ONLY SECURE YOUR LOAN QUICKly through us, but without extra charge; our services from beginning to end of your loan backed by thirty-one years' local experience and standing. F. A. PATTEE & CO., 308 Haas Bldg., 219 W. 7th st. Broadway 144, 10858.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT, ON VACANT or improved, building loans a specialty, current rates.
CHANDLER, CASSOU & CO.,
F2121. 504-505 Bradbury Bldg. Main 2715.

$1000 TO LOAN BY PRIVATE PARTY AT usual rate of interest, on good real estate security. Bungalow property preferred. Would rather deal direct; details handled personally. PHONE 31191.

MONEY—
Have $5000 in bank to loan on first mortgages, in amounts to $500, 7 per cent. Money same day. HARRY A. GOLDMAN, 503 California Bldg. Main 957—A1204.

P. C. COMPANY, HEAD BUILDING, SAN FRANcisco, loans its own money direct to borrower, amounts $1000 to $25,000, on orchards, vineyards, alfalfa, grain and cattle ranches, in San Joaquin Valley.

$20,000 TO LOAN ON LOS ANGELES REAL EState, $1500 and up, low interest, first mortgage, 3 year term. Liberal appraisement, prompt decision. Address P7, box 417, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

TO LOAN—$1000 TO $50,000 ON CITY AND country real estate at current rates.
A2180. McCONNELL & IRVINE,
Main 2180. 833 Security Bldg.

PLENTY OF MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTgage, low rate, any amount desired. We make building loans. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

HAVE $50,000 AVAILABLE FOR SHORT TIME building loans, mortgages and trust deeds.
MORTGAGE INVESTMENT CO.,
F3290. 411 Investment Bldg. Bdwy. 7735.

WANTED—TO MAKE FEW MORE LOANS TO $40,000, on city income, residences, or improved country. Prompt inspection. TOMLISON, 1105 Story Bldg. A4414. Bdwy. 4118.

$500,000—TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE; will divide in sums to suit. Building loans a specialty. STANDARD MORTGAGE CO., 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

ABUNDANT MONEY FOR QUICK CITY AND country loans. NICKLIN, 300 Grant. 14600. Main 2894.

CITY LOANS—RANCH LOANS—CITRUS LOANS, $1000 to $25,000, 6, 7 per cent. CHAPPEL, 616 Lissner Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—FOR BUILDING. IF YOU have a clear lot and want to build on it, I will lend you the cost of building. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

$3000 TO LOAN CITY IMPROVED. LIST YOUR application. 1008 Haas Bldg. A2896. WM. N. HOLWAY, agent.

CITY, SUBURBAN AND BEACH LOANS, MONEY waiting; CAMPBELL, 519 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A1130. Main 7778.

MONEY TO LOAN—AT 6 AND 7 AT ALL TIMES on improved real estate. GOODRICH REALTY CO., 2004 East First st. Boyle 1182—41890.

PRIVATE MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST-CLASS real estate at current rates. WILLEBRANDS, 811 Hibernian Bldg. Phone 66472.

R. W. POINDEXTER, 409 WILCOX BLDG., loans on city or country. Building loans a specialty. Prompt attention to applications.

WANTED—MONEY READY FOR EQUITIES, ALso money on bonds and stocks. 308 LISSNER BLDG.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 7 PER CENT., 2 PER cent. commission. Prefer ranch loans. 1102 TRUST AND SAVINGS BLDG., F2917.

TO LOAN—$30,000, IF I CAN PLACE IN SAFELY in desirable location; would divide. Address P8, box 395, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

CITY AND COUNTRY LOANS, LOWEST RATES. Quick money for seconds. CROWE, 427 Story Bldg. 65885. Broadway 7706.

PRIVATE MONEY, 5½ TO 7, CITY, COUNTRY, or building loans. LOCKHART & SON, 731 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2776. Main 5578.

SEE FARNSWORTH BROS., 1027 VAN NUYS Bldg. Prompt attention. Also make building loans. F1209.

SIX PER CENT. MONEY, CITY OR RANCHES. S. R. LARNEST & CO. 831 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Hugh K. Walker, Jr., R. Rhea Earnest.

MONEY TO LOAN—LOS ANGELES, GLENDALE, Alhambra, Pasadena property. C. A. BOGUE, 187 N. Fair Oaks, Pasadena.

MONEY TO LOAN AT CURRENT RATES. FARM loans given special attention. WALTER RANSOM, 618 Title Insurance Bldg. F5721.

FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS. Money waiting. ERNEST R. FAIR CO., 517 Grant Bldg. F6298.

$2000 TO LOAN, BEST SECURITY, ONLY AT 7 per cent. interest. Address O, box 276, TIMES OFFICE.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

HAVE $10,000 PRIVATE MONEY [illegible] quick action, no agents. [illegible]

$2000, $3000, $3500, $5000 [illegible] loan. HARRY JACKINS, [illegible]

MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries, Chattels and Collaterals.

GERMAN-AMERICAN LOAN CO.
GIVES ONE MONTH FREE. NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL [illegible]. Loans for $10 to $100. You get it the day you apply and [illegible] not come due until 60 days [illegible]. If you own a piano or furniture and need money, this is the place to get quick service and [illegible] same cost. Payments extended [illegible] and liberal discount allowed before maturity. Other [illegible] more money advanced. [illegible] own signature. All business [illegible]. Write or phone. [illegible]
GERMAN-AMERICAN LOAN CO.,
701-702 Delta Bldg., [illegible]

OWNERS OF FURNITURE AND PIANOS can obtain small quick loans [illegible] out removing the property from your [illegible]. All transactions strictly confidential [illegible] or phone.
RELIANCE LOAN & INVESTMENT CO.
603 Security Bldg., [illegible]
Phones F1760, Main [illegible]

TO LOAN—ON CHATTELS, 2 PER CENT. Furnishings private [illegible]. Money same day. [illegible]. All business strictly [illegible]. Our satisfied clients, our [illegible]. Security left in your possession. A4375. Bdy. 535. LOAN DEPT. [illegible]

MONEY LOANED TO PEOPLE OWNING furniture, or a piano; easy terms. Confidential transactions.
FIDELITY LOAN COMPANY,
S.E. corner 4th and Broadway. [illegible]
F3421. 528 Mason Bldg. [illegible]

IF YOU OWN FURNITURE OR A PIANO need a little money see us the same day. Call, phone or write. [illegible]
6512. CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY,
500 Security Bldg.
S.E. corner Fifth and Spring.

MONEY ADVANCED SALARIED PEOPLE without security. Easy payments. Confidential. Private interview. PIRE LOAN COMPANY, 300 [illegible] Building.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED ON [illegible] automobiles. No publicity. [illegible] car. 1233 CITIZENS' NATIONAL [illegible] 15681. Main 961.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED ON furniture and ranch stock; [illegible] terms. MR. SMITH, 308 Van Nuys Bldg., 10 to 12:30. F3760. Main [illegible]

MONEY LOANED ON AUTOMOBILES, use; easy terms. SECURITY [illegible] PANY, 980 Security Bldg. [illegible]

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN [illegible] without delay or publicity [illegible] CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

DIAMOND LOANS—1 PER CENT. [illegible] FRITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 [illegible] and Broadway.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Diamonds-Jewelry.

DIAMONDS ARE SAFE LEFT WITH US [illegible] INTEREST 1 TO 2 PER CENT. [illegible] No other charges. Loans [illegible]. Our own money. [illegible] Private rooms. Established [illegible] REFERENCES: Any Bank or [illegible] Diamonds kept Hellman Bank [illegible]
KUSEL LOAN COMPANY,
300-7 Stimson Bldg. Third and [illegible]
F3598.

MONEY LOANED—DIAMONDS [illegible] 2 per cent., absolutely no other [illegible] monds kept in your own [illegible] posit vault until redeemed [illegible] automobiles in storage. Low [illegible] tate, reliable, 20 years in business [illegible] own money. All business [illegible] bank references.
THEO. J. WEIK,
206 Bradbury Bldg., 3rd and [illegible]
A2192.

DO YOU WANT MONEY?
We loan on diamonds, automobiles [illegible] ware, pearls, pianos, typewriters [illegible] all valuable articles. Priv. rooms [illegible]
MAXWELL & COMPANY,
300 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

A. D. COHN & BRO., ESTABLISHED [illegible] loans most on diamonds, watches [illegible] First National Bank references [illegible] 225 MERCANTILE PLACE, [illegible] F2020.

DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY [illegible] Liberal loans, courteous [illegible] WHEDON, Mgr., 402 Trust and [illegible] 6th and Spring.

LOANS ON DIAMONDS, WATCHES [illegible] Upstairs, GOVERNMENT LOAN [illegible] stairs, 432 S. Main st., [illegible] to 11.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY—
$4500, 3 years, 7 per cent. [illegible] splendidly well built garage [illegible] in suburban city. [illegible]
$4000, 3 years, 7½ per cent. [illegible] room, 2-story house, garage [illegible] front. On fine street. Close to [illegible] South Pasadena.
$7500, 3 years, 7 per cent. [illegible] bearing deciduous grove, 4 [illegible] apples, cherries and peaches [illegible] Fine soil and water conditions [illegible] property. Bank references. [illegible] and lives on same. Owner's [illegible] Main 3694. FRED C. [illegible]
315 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—DO YOU FIND IT [illegible] difficult to make satisfactory [illegible] you put $40,000 to $75,000 [illegible] business that would give you [illegible] tablished in Los Angeles 24 [illegible] increased 140 per cent. in [illegible] year best of all. You can [illegible] on the books. Unusual [illegible] unusual opportunity. [illegible] PE, box 305, TIMES SPRING [illegible]

WANTED—MONEY FOR CHOICE [illegible]
$1500—Pretty bungalow, [illegible]
$1500—Modern bungalow, [illegible]
$1000—2-story residence, [illegible]
$3500—2-story Westlake [illegible]
$2500—New flats, worth [illegible]
$4000—Beautiful home, [illegible]
$1000—New classy apartment [illegible]
And others from $500 to [illegible]
STANDARD, 74 Hollingsworth [illegible]

WANTED—
$7500, 7; MANUFACTURING [illegible] AND BUILDINGS, CONSERVATIVE [illegible] AT $15,000. INTEREST AND [illegible] ANTEED. THIS IS A GOOD [illegible] STAND A THOROUGH [illegible] PARTICULARS SEE
WINNE & BULE, [illegible]
ROBERT MARSH & [illegible]
10175. 200 MARSH-STRONG [illegible]

WANTED—MONEY.
$4000, 3 years, 7, modern [illegible] Vermont ave., corner, [illegible] School; cash value $10,000 [illegible]
$5000, 7, 20 acres fine [illegible] value $35,000; frostless [illegible]
MOYER & [illegible]
14827.

WANTED—MONEY—
A BUSINESS [illegible] is to examine [illegible] city securities before [illegible] Thirty-one years' local [illegible] ing.
F. A. PATTEE & CO.,
308-310 Haas Bldg. 219 W. 7th.

WANTED—$20,000, 7 PER CENT. [illegible] Pasadena business property [illegible] secured lease, $500 month, [illegible] sion.
TORRENS TITLE [illegible]
325 S. Hill St.

WANTED—$14,000, [illegible] bonus. 81 acres [illegible] year-old walnuts and [illegible] $2500 water stock, A-1 [illegible] tion counts. JAMES T. [illegible] Main 2332; 620-21 Haas [illegible]

WANTED—TO BORROW [illegible] South Pasadena, [illegible] lot; nine-room, modern [illegible] proved. Oak trees, [illegible] Prefer to deal with [illegible] 845, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$1200, 7 PER CENT. [illegible] 5-room modern house [illegible] foundation; cement [illegible] way; 10 fruit trees, [illegible] ER, 741 E. 54th st.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY [illegible] at reasonable rates [illegible] constructed over a period of [illegible] $1000 to $1500 each [illegible] TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — $1500 ON [illegible] property, Eagle Rock [illegible] bungalow, southwest [illegible] approved loans with [illegible] SCHOENBORN, 628 Story Bldg.

WANTED—$1500, 7 PER CENT. [illegible] galow, southwest. [illegible] mortgage, or trust deed [illegible] Westlake Park, [illegible] GREEN, 625½ S. SPRING [illegible]

WANTED—
$8000 on a highly [illegible] from Van Nuys. [illegible] $25,000. Moral risk [illegible] 212 Union Oil Bldg. [illegible]

WANTED—$1500, FIRST [illegible] cent. 7 rooms, lot [illegible] er's home; insurance [illegible] Call 709 HOLLINGSWORTH [illegible] 14989.

WANTED—$1000, 3 YEARS [illegible] unimproved lots or [illegible] several times amount. [illegible] Bryson Bldg.

WANTED—FOR 3 YEARS [illegible] cent., 5-room bungalow [illegible] cement floor, grounds [illegible] west. 569420.

WANTED—$3000, NINE [illegible] near Second [illegible] choice. MORTLAND MORTGAGE [illegible] 61334.

WANTED—TO BORROW [illegible] vate money, on [illegible] 40 per cent. valuation. [illegible] K, box 397, TIMES SPRING [illegible]

WANTED—$400, 3 YEARS [illegible] clear vacant lot. [illegible] saying of $540. [illegible]

WANTED—$1250, 8 PER CENT. [illegible] chicken ranch, close in [illegible] house, good street, [illegible] and electricity. Value [illegible]

WANTED—$1600 ON WILSHIRE [illegible] dence, subject to [illegible] box 582, TIMES SPRING [illegible]

WANTED — $10,000, [illegible] years. Will [illegible] gage. PHONE [illegible]

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MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

[illegible]—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGES—
[illegible] 3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x150 on [illegible] near Avenue 50, vicinity of [illegible] 5-room house; value $1500.
[illegible] 3 years, 7 per cent., on lot 60x135, [illegible] new 5-room bungalow, No. 5912 Lincoln [illegible] Avenue 50, and just one block south of [illegible] of the York-blvd. car line; value $2750.
[illegible] 3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x129, W. [illegible] between RAYMOND and NORMANDIE [illegible] the 6-room bungalow; value $3500.
[illegible] 3 years, 8 per cent., lot 40x130 on the [illegible] corner of Normandie and W. 59th st., [illegible] the 6-room bungalow and garage; value [illegible]
[illegible] 3 years, 7 per cent., on lot 40x148 on [illegible] st., with 5-room modern house; value [illegible] This is a fine, sightly location.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, a corporation, or CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE CO.,
Washington Bldg. Main 3335.

WANTED— WANTED— WANTED—
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TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

[illegible]—$20,000 BY CAPITALIST.
[illegible] nearly new Hollywood mansion, surrounded [illegible] park. Conservative valuation [illegible] Address K, box 261, TIMES OF[illegible]

[illegible]—$1150, 1 YEAR, 9 PER CENT. TRUST [illegible] 6-room house, northwest, new street [illegible] to cars. Will pay 6 months' in[illegible] in advance for immediate action. A8821; [illegible]

[illegible]—$4000 AT 8 PER CENT., 15 ACRES, [illegible] Ventura Co., 12 acres planted to young [illegible] Interest in pumping plant. Cash value [illegible] and rapidly increasing. A. G. WEST[illegible] 711, 426 S. Spring st. F2745.

[illegible]—$12,000. INCOME $225 MONTH. [illegible] $25,000. Two-story brick mercantile. [illegible] MORTHLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY. [illegible] 61334.

[illegible]—$5000, 8 PER CENT., 2 OR 3 [illegible] on paved thoroughfare, close in. Com[illegible] to agents. MR. WOOD, A3075, Broadway [illegible]

[illegible]—$1550, OFFER HIGH RATE INTEREST [illegible] early answer. Large corner, grand location, [illegible] streets, west side of town; no agents. Phone [illegible] 5862.

[illegible]—$2000, 8 PER CENT., 2 OR 3 [illegible] on close-in improved, commission to [illegible] MR. WOOD. A3075. Broadway 4546.

[illegible]—$7500 AT 7 PER CENT., SUBURBAN [illegible] value $16,500. A good safe loan. [illegible] D. DALE, 831 Security Bldg.

[illegible]—$2800, 7-ROOM HOUSE, CLOSE IN, [illegible] hardwood floors, all in fine condi[illegible] near Washington and Vermont. Value [illegible] MAIN 3832.

[illegible]—$1500; WILL GIVE FIRST MORT[illegible] on 5-room cottage. Lot 48x115. Five [illegible] from Main near Washington st. No com[illegible] 60997.

[illegible]—$9000, FIRST MORTGAGE, 3 TO 5 [illegible] on income business corner, by the owner, [illegible] of mortgage coming due. 78580.

[illegible]—$3000. FOUR-FLAT BUILDING, [illegible] Value $6500. Very choice. MORTH[illegible] MORTGAGE COMPANY, Main 3849, 61334.

[illegible]—$3600, 8 PER CENT., ON MODERN [illegible] garage, Glendale, value $8000. MILLER, [illegible] 58409.

[illegible]—PAY 7 PER CENT., AMOUNT $3500, [illegible] Grand ave. and W. Adams st., lot 57x140; [illegible] 2 buildings. WILSHIRE 5862.

[illegible]—$850, FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, HUNTING[illegible] Park, value $1800. MORTHLAND MORT[illegible] COMPANY, Main 3849. 61334.

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TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

[illegible]ORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS, Etc.
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

[illegible]AVE $300 FIRST MORTGAGE DRAWING [illegible] per cent. on two corner lots, one at Long [illegible] and one at Redondo; also have $450 [illegible] deed behind $1500 on 5-room house, near [illegible]ngton and Vermont. Want 5-passenger car [illegible] No dealer. Please don't submit [illegible] Address PK, box 502, TIMES SPRING BRANCH.

[illegible]—WE BUY MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS AND CONTRACTS OF SALE ON REAL ESTATE.
[illegible] always ready. No delays.
FRIENDLY & FYBUSH,
[illegible] Nuys Bldg. Phone F3697.

[illegible] SALE—GUARANTEED, $10,000, 8 PER [illegible] first mortgage, due 1¼ years. PHONE [illegible]

[illegible] SALE—
Miscellaneous.

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TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

[illegible]—ONE OF THE LARGEST AND FIN[illegible] refrigerator and ammonia plants, costing [illegible] $4000. Can be purchased at less than [illegible] cost; also 30 oak tables, and 100 chairs [illegible] third of cost; also oak shelving [illegible] glass doors and without doors. Also [illegible] refrigerator, showcase, all as good [illegible] for sale at a bargain. Call to see [illegible] at 737 SOUTH HILL, or phone [illegible] F3743.

[illegible]—DIAMOND BARGAINS. SAVE MON[illegible] direct from diamond merchant. Hun[illegible] of diamond rings, $25 to $2500; all sizes [illegible] You take no chances buying from [illegible] dealer. CLARK, THE DIAMOND [illegible] 704 South Broadway, Lankershim [illegible] 30 YEARS IN THE DIAMOND BUSINESS.

[illegible] — CARBOLASTIC WATERPROOFING [illegible] Costs 60 cents for 100 square [illegible] Don't discard that old roof before seeing [illegible] expert in charge. Consultation free. [illegible] MARKS HARDWARE CO., 226 S. [illegible] 60046. Main 1499.

[illegible] REAL ESTATE ADVERTISE[illegible] in the Sunday Times must be received [illegible] 5 p.m. Saturday. Classified "Want ads." [illegible] will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

[illegible]—LARGE STOCK OF USED AND NEW [illegible] and store fixtures of all kinds; cash [illegible] 80. CAL. HOWARD & MFG. CO., W. [illegible] successor, stock showcase dept., 313 [illegible] Angeles st. A4571, Main 7689.

[illegible]—BAKER'S MACHINERY CONSISTING [illegible] two barrel dough mixer, and elec[illegible] cake mixer, crumb grater, bun di[illegible] must be sold at once. Apply 1900 SOUTH [illegible] H. BLOOM.

[illegible] "TAKE TIME BY THE FORELOCK." [illegible] your Sunday ads to The Times Fri[illegible] or early Saturday.

[illegible]—TENTS THAT ARE TENTS. WE [illegible] them all weights; have some slightly [illegible] $35. DOWNIE, 644 S. San Pedro st. [illegible] Broadway 2160, F4306.

[illegible]—WE BUY AND SELL EVERYTHING [illegible] See us for electrical bargains. [illegible] WRECKING CO., 440 S. Los An[illegible] Main 4007.

[illegible]—PLUMBING MATERIAL, TANK [illegible] cast iron pipe fittings, Durham and [illegible] 15 per cent. off list. Call 5830 [illegible] BLVD.

[illegible]—OR RENT—LARGEST ASSORTMENT [illegible] chairs, physicians' hospital [illegible] supplies. PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY CO. [illegible] Fifth.

[illegible]—1000 CARDS, 250 LETTERHEADS, [illegible] statements, tickets, announcements, [illegible] $1; finished today. PANAMA PRINT[illegible] PLANT, 212 Mercantile Place.

[illegible]—TANKS, TANKS—NEW AND USED, [illegible] galvanized, all sizes, 1000-gallon [illegible] $34; material guaranteed. DEMMITT [illegible] 120 North Main.

[illegible]—PRINCESSA SHOP, PHILIPPINE [illegible] Philippine prices trousseau, lin[illegible] baby clothing. 908 SOUTH BURLING[illegible] 54578.

[illegible]—ONE-CARAT BLUE-WHITE DIAMOND [illegible] Tiffany ring, $100; Underwood typewriter, [illegible] big bargain. 420 INVESTMENT BLDG.

[illegible]—500 POUNDS OF EUREKA LEMONS [illegible] and cured. 217 S. SECOND ST., Alham[illegible]

[illegible]—BEAUTIFUL LOT OF INGLEWOOD [illegible] on slope, near chapel, room for 7. [illegible] PHONE 568704.

[illegible]—RAMBLER BICYCLE OR EXCHANGE [illegible] view camera, long focus. Address N, [illegible] TIMES OFFICE.

[illegible]—ROOF LEAK CEMENT, 25C; ROOF [illegible] 40c gallon. SCOTT, the roofer, 1702 [illegible] south 277—Home 24695.

[illegible]—SAFES, SOLE DEALERS HALL'S [illegible] safes, new and used. Terms or trade. [illegible] SAFE CO., 212 S. Hill.

[illegible]—COMPLETE RESTAURANT EQUIP[illegible] J. W. C. A., EXPOSITION, SAN DIEGO.

[illegible]—GENUINE EASTERN MINK MUFF, [illegible] new, $10. Telephone BROADWAY 8416.

[illegible]—FIREPROOF OFFICE SAFE, GOOD AS [illegible] 402 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

[illegible] quick action drop answers to Times [illegible] "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in down[illegible] office buildings. The locations of the [illegible] boxes are printed in the first col[illegible] of The Times "Liner" section.

[illegible] SALE—
Furniture.

[illegible]—COMPLETE FURNISHINGS OF 5-[illegible] [illegible] Wilton rugs and mission furniture; [illegible] or any part. 1127 W. 28TH ST.

[illegible]

Classified Liners.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

SAVE $10,000 PRIVATE MONEY, WILL [illegible] quick action, no agents. PHONE [illegible] $2000, $3000, $3500, $5000, $8000, [illegible] loan. HARRY JACKINS, 616 Union [illegible]

MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries, Chattels and Collaterals.

GERMAN-AMERICAN LOAN CO. GIVES ONE MONTH FREE. NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL JANUARY [illegible] Loans for $10 to $100. You get the [illegible] the day you apply and your first payment [illegible] not come due until 60 days from date. If you own a piano or furniture and [illegible] money, this is the place to borrow [illegible] get quick service and longer use of money [illegible] more and liberal discount allowed [illegible] before maturity. Other companies [illegible] more money advanced. Loans to [illegible] own signature. All business strictly [illegible] Write or phone Main 6257, F7722. GERMAN-AMERICAN LOAN CO., 701-702 Delta Bldg., 426 S. Spring st.

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MONEY ADVANCED SALARIED EMPLOYEES without security. Easy payments, confidential. Private interviewing rooms. PIRE LOAN COMPANY, 300 Title [illegible] Building.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED ON LATE automobiles. No publicity. You may [illegible] car. 1228 CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK [illegible] 15691. Main 961.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED ON AUTOMOBILES, furniture and ranch stock; any amount; easy terms. MR. SMITH, 306 Van Nuys Bldg. [illegible] 12:30. F3708. Main 7461.

MONEY LOANED ON AUTOMOBILES [illegible] easy terms. SECURITY FINANCE [illegible] PANY, 939 Security Bldg. Home 15678.

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. [illegible] CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

DIAMOND LOANS—1 PER CENT. [illegible] FRITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 Grant Bldg. [illegible] and Broadway.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Diamonds-Jewelry.

DIAMONDS ARE SAFE LEFT WITH US. INTEREST 1 TO 2 PER CENT. [illegible] No other charges. Loan any amount [illegible] our own money. Confidential. Private rooms. Established [illegible] REFERENCES: Any Bank or Jeweler [illegible] KUHL LOAN COMPANY. 309-7 Schmidt Bldg. Third and [illegible]

MONEY LOANED—DIAMONDS, JEWELRY [illegible] 2 per cent., absolutely no other charges; [illegible] goods kept in your own sealed package [illegible] pawn until redeemed. Furniture [illegible] automobiles in storage. Low rate on [illegible] value, reliable, 20 years in business [illegible] own money. All business strictly confidential [illegible] bank references. THEO. J. WELK, 208 Bradbury Bldg., 3rd and Broadway. A2162.

DO YOU WANT MONEY? We loan on diamonds, automobiles, [illegible] watches, pearls, pianos, typewriters, [illegible] all valuable articles. Priv. rooms. [illegible] MAXWELL & COMPANY, 300 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

A. BJ COHN & BRO., ESTABLISHED [illegible] loans made on diamonds, watches and [illegible] First National Bank references. Private [illegible] 220 MERCANTILE PLACE, upstairs. [illegible]

DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY— Liberal loans, courteous treatment. [illegible] WEEDON, Mgr., 602 Trust and Savings Bldg. [illegible]

LOANS ON DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY [illegible] Upstairs, GOVERNMENT LOAN OFFICE [illegible] 632 S. Main st., Canadian Bldg. [illegible] to 11.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY— $2500, 3 years, 7 per cent. [illegible] splendid well built garage on Main [illegible] in suburbs, city. $4000, 3 years, 7½ per cent. [illegible] room, 2-story house, garage, etc. [illegible] front. On fine street. Close to Huntington [illegible] South Pasadena. $7500, 3 years, 7 per cent. [illegible] bearing deciduous grove, 4 to 5 [illegible] apples, cherries and peaches in [illegible] Fine soil and water conditions. Fine [illegible] property. Bank references. Owner [illegible] and lives on same. Owner's value [illegible] Main 3694. FRED G. SMITH, 315 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—DO YOU FIND IT [illegible] difficult to make satisfactory loans [illegible] you put $60,000 to $75,000 into [illegible] business that would give you the [illegible] [illegible]

WANTED—MONEY FOR CHOICE [illegible]

[illegible]

WANTED—$7500, 7, MANUFACTURING PLANT, LAND AND BUILDINGS, CONSERVATIVELY [illegible] AT $15,000; INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL [illegible] ANTEED. THIS IS A GOOD LOAN AND [illegible] STAND A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION. [illegible] PARTICULARS SEE WINNY & RULE, MGRS. LOAN DEPT., ROBERT MARSH & CO., 1017-18-200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG. [illegible]

WANTED—MONEY— $4000, 3 years, 7, modern brick business [illegible] Vermont ave., corner, near Manual Arts [illegible] School; cash value $10,000. $[illegible], 3 years, 7, 20 acres fine lemons, Covina, [illegible] value $30,000; frostless location. MOTER & GILBERT, 302 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 14927.

WANTED—MONEY— A BUSINESS PROPOSITION. [illegible] to examine car present, choice [illegible] city securities before closing a deal. [illegible] Thirty-one years' local experience and [illegible] F. J. PATTEE & CO., 308-310 Hass Bldg., 219 W. 7th. [illegible]

WANTED—$20,000, 7 PER CENT. [illegible] Pasadena business property opposite Hotel [illegible] secured lease, $[illegible] month, 1 per cent. [illegible] TORRENS TITLE REGISTRY CO., 225 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—$14,000, 8 PER CENT. [illegible] [illegible]

WANTED—TO BORROW $5000 ON [illegible] South Pasadena, worth $12,000 [illegible] lot; nine-room modern house; [illegible] 566, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$1200, 7 PER CENT., 3 YEARS, 5-room modern house, clear; good [illegible] [illegible] RR, 241 E. 54th st.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, BUILDING [illegible] at reasonable rates, on 20 houses [illegible] be completed over a period of 12 months [illegible] $1000 to $1500 each. Address [illegible] TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$1500 ON IMPROVED [illegible] property, Eagle Rock ave. $1500, [illegible] bungalow, southwest, good neighborhood [illegible]

WANTED—$1300, 7 PER CENT. [illegible]

WANTED— $[illegible] on a highly improved ranch [illegible] from Van Nuys. This ranch is [illegible] $25,000. Moral risk is excellent [illegible] 212 Union Oil Bldg. Phone 10600.

WANTED—$1000, FIRST MORTGAGE, [illegible] cent., 7 rooms, lot [illegible] Value [illegible] call 209 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. [illegible]

WANTED—$[illegible], 3 YEARS, 8 PER CENT. [illegible] unimproved lots or acreage [illegible] several times amount. LIEBENDORFER [illegible] Bryson Bldg.

WANTED—FOR 3 YEARS, $2700 AT [illegible] cent., 6-room bungalow, up-to-date [illegible] cement floor, grounds beautiful, close in [illegible]

WANTED—$[illegible], NINE-ROOM HOUSE [illegible] Second, Glendale [illegible] NORTHLAND MORTGAGE CO., [illegible]

WANTED—TO BORROW $2500 AND [illegible] vale lesser, on Lankershim improved [illegible] per cent. valuation. No commission [illegible] TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$400, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT. [illegible] clear vacant lot [illegible] OWNER, [illegible]

WANTED—$1250, 8 PER CENT. [illegible] chicken ranch. Close in, half acre, [illegible]

WANTED—$1000 ON WILSHIRE DIST. [illegible] TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$[illegible], 8 PER CENT. [illegible]

MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS, Etc.
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—$300 FIRST MORTGAGE DRAWING 8 per cent. on two other lots, one at Long [illegible] and one at Rebondo; also have $4350 deed behind $1500 on 5-room house, near [illegible] and Vermont. Want 5-passenger car [illegible] Please don't submit [illegible] Address PX, box 302, TIMES SPRING BRANCH.

WANTED—WE BUY MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS AND CONTRACTS OF SALE ON REAL ESTATE. No delays. Money always ready. FRIENDLY & FYBUSH, [illegible] Nuts Bldg. Phone F5887.

FOR SALE—GUARANTEED, $10,000, 8 PER cent. mortgage, due 1¼ years. PHONE [illegible]

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

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FOR SALE—ONE OF THE LARGEST AND FINEST [illegible] and ammonia plants, costing [illegible] Can be purchased at less than [illegible] also 30 oak tables, and 100 chairs [illegible] third of cost; also oak shelving [illegible] doors and without doors. Also [illegible] refrigerator, showcase, all as good [illegible] sale at a bargain. Call to see [illegible] SOUTH HILL, or phone [illegible]

FOR SALE—DIAMOND BARGAINS. SAVE MONEY [illegible] from diamond merchant. Hundred rings, $25 to $2500; all sizes. You take no chances buying from [illegible] CLARK, THE DIAMOND [illegible] South Broadway, Lankershim [illegible] YEARS IN THE DIAMOND BUSINESS.

FOR SALE—CARBOLASTIC WATERPROOFING [illegible] Costs 60 cents for 100 square [illegible] that old roof before [illegible] Consultation free. [illegible] HARDWARE CO., 226 S. [illegible] Main 1499.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE ADVERTISE- [illegible] Sunday Times must be received [illegible] Saturday. Classified "Want ads," [illegible] accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

FOR SALE—LARGE STOCK OF USED AND NEW [illegible] store fixtures of all kinds; cash [illegible] CAL. HDWD. & MFG. CO., W. [illegible] stock showcase dept., 312 [illegible] A4571, Main 7689.

FOR SALE—BAKER'S MACHINERY CONSISTING [illegible] barrel dough mixer, and electric [illegible] mixer, crumb grinder, bun divider [illegible] at once. Apply 1605 SOUTH [illegible]

TAKE TIME BY THE FORELOCK." [illegible] your Sunday ads to The Times Friday [illegible]

FOR SALE—TENTS THAT ARE TENTS. WE [illegible] all weights; have some slightly [illegible] & DOWNIE, 644 S. San Pedro st. [illegible]

FOR SALE—WE BUY AND SELL EVERYTHING [illegible] for electrical bargains. [illegible] WRECKING CO., 449 S. Los Angeles [illegible]

FOR SALE—PLUMBING MATERIAL, TANK [illegible] pipe fittings, Durham and [illegible] per cent. off list. Call 3828 [illegible]

FOR SALE—RENT—LARGEST ASSORTMENT [illegible] chairs, physicians' hospital, [illegible] PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY CO., [illegible]

FOR SALE—1000 CARDS, 200 LETTERHEADS, [illegible] statements, tickets, announcements, [illegible] finished today. PANAMA PRINTING [illegible] 212 Mercantile Place.

FOR SALE—TANKS—NEW AND USED, [illegible] all sizes. 1000-gallon, [illegible] material guaranteed. DEMMITT, 120 North Main.

FOR SALE—PRINCESS SHOP, PHILIPPINE [illegible] Philippine prices trousseau, lingerie [illegible] 908 SOUTH BURLINGTON.

FOR SALE—[illegible]-CARAT BLUE-WHITE DIAMOND [illegible] Underwood typewriter, [illegible] 426 INVESTMENT BLDG.

FOR SALE—[illegible] POUNDS OF EUREKA LEMONS [illegible] 217 S. SECOND ST., Alhambra.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL LOT OF INGLEWOOD [illegible] near chapel, room for 7. [illegible]

FOR SALE—GRAFLEX BICYCLE OR EXCHANGE [illegible] long focus. Address N, [illegible] TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LEAK CEMENT, 25C; ROOF [illegible] SCOTT, the roofer, 1702 [illegible]

FOR SALE—SAFES, SOLE DEALERS, HALL'S [illegible] new and used. Terms or trade. [illegible] 212 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—COMPLETE RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT [illegible] EXPOSITION, SAN DIEGO.

FOR SALE—GENUINE EASTERN MINK MUFF [illegible] Telephone BROADWAY 8416.

FOR SALE—LARGE OFFICE SAFE, GOOD AS [illegible] LOS ANGELES ST.

[illegible] answers to Times [illegible] locations of [illegible]

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE— [illegible] COMPLETE FURNISHINGS OF 5- [illegible] and Hickley furniture; [illegible] 1127 W. 18TH ST.

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FOR SALE—AUCTION. HEREAFTER AND COMMENCING Friday, 29th, 10 a.m., 1911 S. Burlington. Our regular weekly auction sale will be held on every Friday instead of Saturdays. This week, December 29, we will have a house full of good furniture, largest and only exclusive auction house in Los Angeles. We sell everything in the house every sale. Remember "the highest bidder takes the goods at all our sales, regardless of the price." COL. C. S. CALHOUN, auctioneer. West 2171. 21940, 1911 S. Burlington.

FOR SALE—CONTENTS OF BEAUTIFUL HOME, furnishings 3 months old, magnificent Circassian walnut set, mahogany piece dining set; Jacobean pieces, refrigerator, bed springs, mattresses, Turkish leather rocker; Kohler-Chase player piano, rug, everything pertaining to house, by piece; big sacrifice. 1409 CONSTANCE ST. W. Pico car. Reed breakfast set. West 5595. 21788.

FOR SALE—AUCTION TODAY, 10 O'CLOCK, 4261 South Grand avenue, Moneta avenue car to Vernon, 7 rooms, furniture, Shubert, $600 88-note player piano, fumed oak case, Columbia grafonola and records, electric washer, electric vacuum cleaner, camp tent, dining, bedroom and kitchen furniture, linen, lots of miscellaneous goods. NASH, AUCTIONEER, Vermont 5577.

FOR SALE—MAHOGANY BEDROOM SETS, BRASS beds, fumed oak and leather dining and living-room sets, 9x12 Wilton rugs, mahogany player piano, drophead sewing machine, genuine leather Davenport, mahogany, reed and other rockers; high oven gas range, etc., etc. 1816 W. ADAMS ST. 74690.

FOR SALE—MAHOGANY LIBRARY TABLE, WALnut and white enamel bedroom sets, fumed oak dining table and leather seat chairs; will sell any piece of furniture in 10-room house; house for rent. 1328 W. 9TH. Broadway 5218. 54388.

FOR SALE—BY PIECE OR ALL, AT SACRIFICE, library table, bookcase, leather couch, easy chair, rocker, dining set, dressers, chiffoniers, brass and Vernis Martin beds, rugs, gas and oil heaters, etc. 828 S. FIGUEROA.

FOR SALE—GAS RANGE, REED LIVING-ROOM set, library table, leather seat rockers, brass beds, dressers, rugs, hall clock, sewing machine, etc. 2621 MAGNOLIA AVE., West Adams car. 25726.

FOR SALE—BED SPRINGS AND MATTRESS, $5; round oak pedestal extension table, $6.50; square extension breakfast table, $3.50. 811 SOUTH GRAND VIEW. West 9th car. 51410.

FOR SALE—3-ROOM FLAT OF FURNITURE, cheap, got to be sold for reason leaving town. BROADWAY 6294. Call before 10 a.m. No dealers.

FOR SALE—A B GAS RANGE, HIGH OVEN, first class condition, very cheap, moving. VERMONT 291.

FOR SALE—ONE ORIENTAL CARPET, CHEAP or trade for automobile. SHERINYAN, 829 San Julian st.

FOR SALE—GOOD COOK STOVE, COAL OR wood, cheap, like new. 217 W. 59TH PLACE.

FOR SALE — EXCELLENT NEW KITCHEN stove. HOME PHONE 57585.

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And Supplies.

FOR SALE—BILLIARD TABLES, BRAND NEW, carom and pocket, with complete outfit, $125; second-hand tables at reduced prices; bowling alleys and accessories; cigar store, drug, delicatessen and soda fountain fixtures, easy payments. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., 845 S. Los Angeles st.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—FINE OAK ROLL TOP DESK, CHAIR, also Underwood No. 5 Typewriter and check writer. These are in fine condition and will sell at bargain prices, quitting office. 930 S. HILL ST.

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FOR SALE—L. C. SMITH & BROS. VISIBLE typewriter, $25; quartered oak flat top desk, swivel and two straight chairs, $40. 320 WEST 23RD ST.

WANTED—OFFICE FURNITURE; EVERY DEscription; we pay highest prices. Phone Broadway 7783. SPELLMAN DESK CO., 730 S. Spring.

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Electric starter and lights. Looks like new. Good condition. $450; $125 down; small payments.

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Late Model Touring Cars
Bought for Cash.
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F6468. Broadway 6265.

FORDS OVERHAULED—$5. WORK INCLUDES removing carbon by oxygen process; valves ground; brake and clutch relined. Cars called for and delivered free. 4319 DALTON AVE. Phone 26840.

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FOR SALE — FORD TOURING; EXCELLENT shape; used private family; shock absorbers, cut-out, extra water pump, brand-new Racine non-skid tires on rear, burns distillate; real bargain. See car, make offer. WILCOX, 826 S. Hope st.

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Valves ground, carbon removed..........$2
"ALL WORK GUARANTEED."
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WANTED — FOR CASH, BY PRIVATE PARTY, 1917 model, 7-passenger Chandler, Mitchell, Chalmers or other good make of high-grade car. Also want for cash small C-25, 1915 Buick roadster. Must be bargains. Address O, box 122, TIMES OFFICE.

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1916 touring, equipped with all possible extras. Guaranteed. Terms of $75 down.
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OAKLAND COUPE, ELECTRIC LIGHTED, starter, good mechanical shape; needs paint and will be sacrifice for $325. Worth much more. See it, 961 S. OLIVE. Open all day today.

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Equipped with Delco starter and lighting system; in elegant condition, $275. $100 down, $20 a month.

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SMALL PAYMENT, BALANCE MONTHLY.
$125—Moline stripped car; power, speed.
$120—1913 Paige 25 touring car.
$125—1912 Studebaker 20 touring; good shape.
$175—1912 Studebaker 30 touring car.
$175—1912 Studebaker 20, classy blue racer.
$190—1912 Studebaker 30, classy red racer.
$200—1913 Studebaker 30, perfect roadster.
$250—1911 Firestone Col, rebuilt roadster.
$250—1911 Studebaker 20, cream, beauty racer.
$275—1912 Studebaker Detroiter touring car.
$300—1914 Marathon roadster, starter, lights.
$350—1914 Haynes touring, starter, lights.
$350—1914 Overland touring.
$575—1915 Overland, perfect touring; model 80.
A. A. PETERSON CO., 1422 S. Main.

FOR SALE—
1915 STUTZ ROADSTER.
Original finish throughout, which can hardly be told from new. Good tires, with two extras, spotlight, etc.
This car was equipped with a great many special parts in way of springs, shock absorbers, etc., so as to be up to the minute for a cross-country run. Owing to a change in the owner's plans the trip was called off. It will be well worth your while to see this particular car, as it's a bargain at the price and terms.
F6468. BROWN & CADMAN, Bdwy. 6265, 206-210 West Pico st.

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USED FORDS, WHICH ARE WORTH WHILE, ARE THE ONLY ONES WE HANDLE.
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Several touring cars, roadsters, on terms of $50 down and guaranteed.
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FOR SALE—
1916 DODGE ROADSTER.
It looks and runs as good as when new. Practically new tires, original top and finish. It's a little dandy and exceptional value. See it today. Terms.
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LOST—STRAYED—OR STOLEN—NIGHT OF DEC. 23, from Cudahy ranch, a pair of little bay mules, both branded on left shoulder, circle blotted G. Liberal reward will be paid for their return or information leading to their recovery. C. C. SIDWELL, Cudahy ranch.

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LOST—DEC. 25, 1916, ABOUT 12:30 P.M. NEAR Western st., Harbor City, roped bamboo suit case containing guitar, steel and thimbles, Christmas gifts. Return to CARRIE ORIENT ORMSBY or MRS. ORVILLE HOYT ORMSBY, 1415 Ivy st., Glendale, Cal. Reward.

LOST—POINTER DOG, 11 MONTHS OLD, WHITE with brown head and prominent brown spot on back. Has license tag No. 3615 on collar. Answers to name "PAL." Return or inform WILLIAM ERVAST, Morosco Theater, or 354 W. 57th, and receive reward.

LOST—EITHER ON SEVENTH ST. CAR OR Seventh and Broadway, lady's black patent leather purse with rose color trimmings, containing small sum of money. 1109 INGRAHAM ST., Apt. 205. Main 4591.

LOST—BETWEEN 6TH AND 7TH ON BROADway, brown and white Boston bull, half white face and half brown, 6 months old, spike collar. Answers to name of "Brownie." $10 reward. MAIN 3464, F5693.

LOST—FEMALE BOSTON TERRIER, SUNDAY night; dark brindle, with white blaze, white nose band and half-white collar; ears cut; short kink tail. Answers to name of Peggy. Reward. Please call WEST 1123.

LOST—SATURDAY EVENING, GLENDALE CAR, arriving L. A., 9:10, or in getting off at Sixth and Hill, case containing pair gold bifocal spectacles, without rims. Reward. T. C. HEWITT, Clark Hotel.

LOST—GOLD THEOSOPHICAL EMBLEM PIN, snake circlet, enameled triangle. Reward. MISS ZEMLOCK KROTONA, Hollywood. Phone 57134.

LOST—DIAMOND AND PEARL PIN, PLATINUM setting, between 912 S. Figueroa and Bullock's. Liberal reward. Phone FINKLE ARMS APARTMENTS, Bdwy. 2141.

STRAYED—PARROT, SINCE EVENING OF DEcember 23, from 107½ N. Main st., sings Japanese songs. Finder return to T. UTSUSHIGAWA, above address. Liberal reward.

FOUND — PACKAGE CONTAINING BABY'S photo, marked O. & C. Also 3 clasps. Owner can have by calling at 5938 WISCONSIN ST. and paying for this advertisement.

FOUND—SUITCASE ON FOOTHILL BLVD., containing Christmas goods. Owner may have same on payment of advertisement and proof of ownership. MRS. ORA SAMBEAUX, Azusa, Cal.

LOST — NEAR MASON OPERAHOUSE, POCKETbook, containing small amount money and several checks, made in favor H. D. Rives. Finder return 1202 S. GRAND for reward.

LOST—FROM OCEAN PARK HEIGHTS, GRAY mare, 900 pounds. Return or communicate with DELAGARRIGUE, owner, R. 1, box 263, Palms.

LOST—PAIR OF EYE GLASSES IN BLACK case from the Detmer Optical Co., Tuesday morning on Edendale car. Finder please notify 53686, HOME PHONE. Reward.

LOST—REWARD $200, NO QUESTIONS ASKED; finder of black envelope purse containing $1100. Return to J. W. WILKINSON, 511 Title Insurance Bldg.

LOST—BAY HORSE, 7 YEARS OLD, WHITE ON face, and black mare, 9 years old, white star on forehead. T. ISHIDA, R.F.D. box 60-A, Gardena, Cal.

LOST—WEDNESDAY MORNING IN HOLLYWOOD on Highland avenue, near Franklin, blue enameled watch and chain. Liberal reward. 57517.

LOST—AIREDALE DOG, CHILD'S PET. Answers to name of Duke. Liberal reward. 1034 FLORIDA ST., Bdwy. 1315.

LOST—STARTING CRANK ON 9TH ST., FINDER please return to FRED HOOPER, M. S. Bulkley & Co., 1801 S. Main St., and get reward.

LOST—GOLD LAVALLIERE SET WITH PEARLS and diamonds. Finder please return to 1076 KENSINGTON ROAD. Phone 558256.

LOST—SAVAGE TIRE, 30X4 AND A HALF ON rim, suitable reward. W. P. ROBERTS, 2214 8th ave., Los Angeles. 72229.

LOST—LADY'S BLACK TRAVELING BAG, SATURday, vicinity of S. P. depot. Finder will please PHONE 20705. Reward.

FOUND—NEAR THIRD AND SOUTH HARVARD blvd., lady's antique locket pendant. PHONE 560528.

FOUND—DEC. 18, 9TH AND UNION, GOLD locket, engraved. Owner call at 321 E. 30TH ST., 7:30 p.m.

LOST—EYEGLASSES ON WEST JEFFERSON ST. car Saturday night. Reward by notifying. Address K, box 414, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

LOST — PAIR AMBER GLASSES, TORTOISE shell rims, in Auditorium, Tuesday night. Please notify AUDITORIUM BOX OFFICE.

LOST—AIREDALE PUPPY, FEMALE, TUESDAY, on Sunset Blvd. Finder please call HARDY, 60297, or BROADWAY 237.

LOST—BLACK AND WHITE ANGORA CAT, ANswers to name "Baby." Strayed or stolen from 1402 W. 37TH DRIVE. Main 8668, F6833.

LOST—ON SPRING ST., NEAR 6TH, ONE AUTOmobile glove. RING 556858. Reward.

LOST—PEARL BAR PIN MONDAY NIGHT IN OR near Tally's. Reward. Call 590861.

FOUND—ON OR ABOUT JULY 27, STRAYED horse about 9 years old, dark bay, two white hind feet. JOSEPH CHALDER, Pacoima, Cal.

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ATTENTION—
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS.
The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue.
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MINING—

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The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue.
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LEGAL.

LETTER OF CONVOCATION.
First Edict.

(On the margin: a seal with the coat of Arms of Mexico, with the following inscription: "Mexican United States.—Second Civil Court. Mexico.")

Eucario Alonso, Attorney at Law and Second Civil Judge of this Capital, by decree of the thirtieth (30th) of last August, ordered that, by means of publishing three edicts, ten days apart, all who believe to be entitled to claims to the Estate of Alberto Paez, should be summoned, in order that they appear to plead the case within thirty (30) days from the date of the publication of the last edict; these edicts should be published in the newspapers "Boletin Judicial" (Judicial Bulletin) and "Diario Oficial" (Official Journal), Organ of the Provisional Goverment of Mexico, in the Official publication in the State of Hidalgo and in other newspapers edited in the City of Pachuca, as well as in the Official newspaper of the State of California, United States of North America, and in other newspaper edited in the City of Los Angeles, of the same State of California; with the understanding that if in Pachuca or in Los Angeles there was not edited any other paper than the Official one, the publications should be made in the rooms of the Court.

Complying with the order, I issue the present writing for its publication.

Mexico the twenty-eighth of September, nineteen hundred and sixteen.
(Signed) L. MONZON.

It should be published in the newspaper of largest circulation of the City of Los Angeles, State of California, United States of North America, to be named by the Court requested, the first day that it is possible.

Roque Estrada, Secretary of State of the Department of Justice, CERTIFIES: that Luis Monzon, Attorney at Law, is Clerk of the Second Court of Civil Justice of this Capital and that the above signature is genuine.

Mexico, October 11th, 1916
(Signed) R. ESTRADA.

(On the margin: A seal with the coat of Arms of Mexico with the following description: "Secretaryship of State of the Department of Justice, Mexico", cancelling a fifty cent stamp.)

A seal with the Coat of Arms of Mexico with the following inscription: "Secretaryship of Foreign Relations, Mexico. Number 771.

The undersigned, Assistant Secretary of Foreign Relations,

CERTIFIES: That Mr. Roque Estrada, Attorney at Law, is Secretary of State of the Department of Justice, and that the above signature is genuine.

Mexico, October 17, 1916.
For want of the Assistant Secretary,
The Chief Clerk,
(Signed) E. GARZA PEREZ.

(On the margin: A fifty cent stamp cancelled with a seal with the following inscription: "Secretaryship of Foreign Relations. Oct. 17th, 1916, Mexico.")

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
In the Matter of the Estate of Alberto Paez, Deceased, Late a Resident of the City of Mexico, Republic of Mexico, Who Died in the City of Los Angeles, State of California—Order for Publication of Letter of Convocation.

In accordance with the usages of International Reciprocity now existing between this Government and the Government of the Republic of Mexico; and at the request of the duly credited Mexican Consul, in the City of Los Angeles, namely J. Pesquera; and at the request of Eucario Alonso, Second Civil Judge of the capital of the Republic of Mexico; and in pursuance of a decree issued by him on the 30th day of August, 1916; and upon the exhibition to this court of the original documents in Spanish, and also an English translation thereof; and a good cause appearing therefor:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that said letters of convocation be published in the Los Angeles Daily Times for three separate insertions, the second publication to appear ten days after the first publication, and the third publication ten days after the second publication.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that when the third publication shall have been made, a certificate of that fact be duly made and furnished the bearer of this order, upon payment of fees of publication.

SYDNEY N. REESE,
Judge of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County.
Dated Los Angeles, California, Dec. 27, 1916.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for M. A. Austin, G. G. Anderson, Mrs. Sadie Brown, California Fruit Products Company, Miss Agnes Cunningham, California Citrus Union, Mr. Henry Davis, Alfonso M. Delcamp, W. J. Hale, Mrs. E. L. Hansto, C. A. Hawley, Miss Adele Johnson, Mrs. Margaret Jacobs, Lieut. Robert Malcolm, W. E. Meek, Capt. Carl McMahon, A. C. Mair, Curtis Orio, Oregon Green Company, William Pearce, Procter Company, R. Weaver, W. H. Waring and B. J. Williams. At the Postal for Mrs. Martha Ewing Newcombe, M. R. Rodger, R. N. Rush, Irving May, Miss Jessie Mutz, Mrs. Isabel Craven, Irene West, C. H. McNeil, E. P. Harding, Langlois Ainley, Jack Raiff and cables for Trinidad and Takanashi.

Branch Offices.

For the convenience of advertisers and readers The Times has established an additional Branch Office at 723-25 South Hill street—open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and on Saturday from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. The Times Branch Office, 619 South Spring street, will, as usual, be open daily from 7:45 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Sunday, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

To Housewives.

Councilwoman Lindsey will speak on the State-controlled market as a panacea for the high-cost-of-living, at a meeting of the Housewives League in Burbank Hall, Friday evening. Senator Brown will also speak.

In Collector's Honor.

Office employees of Collector Carter, of the Internal Revenue Department, tendered their chief a banquet at the Roma Cafe, last evening. There were more than fifty persons present. Collector Carter and the hosts were in fine fettle.

Botanists to Meet.

The Botanical section of the Southern California Academy of Sciences will meet in the music-room of the Los Angeles public library this evening at 7:45 o'clock. All interested in the study and preservation of our local native flora are cordially welcome.

Jovians Meet.

J. M. Elliott, president of the board of directors of the First National Bank, spoke on "The Federal Reserve," at a meeting of the Jovian Electric League at noon, yesterday, at Jahnke's Tavern. C. D. La Moree of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company was chairman of the day and arranged the programme. Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Nan King, and the musical numbers were provided by the Burns Dance Orchestra.

To Advertise California.

With the object of persuading the people of the East and Middle West to spend their winters and vacations in California, the Union Pacific has instituted a nation-wide advertising campaign, according to a statement given out yesterday by District Passenger Agent Jackson. The double purpose of telling the people about California and of relating the history of the railroad will be served through the campaign. The advertisements will appear in the leading periodicals of the country.

Hold Hanukah Celebration.

The Ida Strauss Day Nursery and Settlement, No. 531 North Boylston avenue, held a Hanukah celebration Saturday afternoon, last, those participating including the children of the Nursery Sabbath school and friends of the organization. Dr. Sigmund S. Hecht gave an address. After the programme each child was given a present and refreshments. The president, Mrs. H. Klein, teachers of the Sabbath school headed by Mrs. Florine H. Wolfstein, and all the friends of the nursery wish to thank the Good Samaritan department of the Ad Club and Mr. J. Jacobs for their assistance.

Delayed.

MEXICO BEST CONSUMER.

Collector of Customs Gets Local Export Report for November, via New York—Ninety Per Cent. of Commodities go to Southern Republic.

The report of exports from the port of Los Angeles, for November, which is now compiled in New York, was received here yesterday by the Collector of Customs.

It shows that 90 per cent. of the exports are for Mexico and that the grand total value is $268,640. Of this amount $254,152 is the value of the domestic exports, $9721 the value of foreign exports not sent from a bonded warehouse, and $4767 of the foreign exports sent from a bonded warehouse.

Nine pages of closely written copy are required to enumerate the exports for the month, covering everything needed for man from prunes to automobiles.

DENIES ENGAGEMENT.

Young Diplomat Says He is Not to Wed Daughter of ex-Premier.

Mrs. Frank Gibson, mother of Hugh S. Gibson, the brilliant young Los Angeles diplomat, received a cablegram from her son in London yesterday denying his reported engagement to Miss Elisabeth Asquith, daughter of the former Premier of England, and stating that an official denial will be made today.

The supposed engagement was widely printed in London newspapers and their reports chronicled by the Associated Press.

CARROLL ALLEN MARRIES AGAIN.

Second Wife, Wedded in Nashville, Prominent in Southern Society.

Carroll Allen, the Los Angeles attorney and banker and Mrs. Orrin T. Higgins, a Redlands society matron, were married in Nashville, Tenn., several days ago, according to an announcement made there yesterday.

The announcement of the engagement, made exclusively in The Times in October, came to friends of the couple as a distinct surprise. The marriage was celebrated at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. G. Bransford, a society woman of prominence in the South and was witnessed only by members of the family. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. Allen left with his bride for a trip to New York and other eastern cities, returning to Nashville in time for Christmas. They expect to arrive in Los Angeles soon after the holidays.

Mrs. Allen was the widow of a song of the late Gov. Higgins of New York. She is well known in social circles of the South and East, as well as on the Pacific Coast. Mr. Allen's former wife, Mrs. Evelyn Allen, was granted a decree of divorce from him in Reno on October 14. She is reported to be in New York.

INITIATIVE ON STRONG DRINK.

City Council Must Now Act on Petitions Having Necessary Signers.

Initiative positions containing 25,371 signatures were presented to City Clerk Wilde yesterday afternoon by Orton E. Goodwin. The Council will be compelled to take action upon the proposed ordinance which provides for the elimination of strong drinks from all saloons and other public drinking places. Until the documents were filed many saloon-keepers scoffed at the idea of their business being affected.

The City Clerk has ten days in which to check up the petition and then the Council has twenty days during which it can pass the ordinance. If it does not wish to pass it then it must set the date for the election. The law provides the ordinance must be placed upon the ballot at any special or regular election and it has been presented in time to get it before the people at the bond election which has been tentatively scheduled for February 2.

Question.

APPROVE PAY DEMAND.

Supervisors Believe Election Board Appointee, Who was Turned Down Because He was Late, Should be Reimbursed.

When Harry Radcliff, appointed on the election board in Precinct 417, showed up at the general election at 5:55 o'clock, he was informed by Inspector Woodruff that he could not serve. So Mr. Radcliff went away, but because he was ready to serve and was not permitted for the reason that he was ten minutes late, he made a demand for his pay.

The case came before the Board of Supervisors yesterday through a report of the case by County Counsel Hill. The report stated that a Mrs. Angell was substituted for Mr. Radcliff, and that in dismissing Mr. Radcliff the inspector relied on the provision that the election board should be at the polls at 5:45 o'clock.

The Supervisors took the stand that to refuse Mr. Radcliff his pay under the circumstances would be to throw open the doors to any member of the board to ring in some one else, and thereby defeat the selections made by the Board of Supervisors. A motion to approve his demand was carried.

AFFIRM TWO JUDGMENTS.

Los Angeles and Kern County Cases Decided by Appellate Court.

In the case of Margaret E. McClay and C. E. McClay against the Superior Court of Los Angeles county, and Judges Shenk and Curtis, for a writ of review, the judgment of the lower court has been affirmed by the District Court of Appeals.

A judgment was rendered against Mrs. McClay, her husband being a co-defendant, but he was not served with a summons to appear. On this ground Mrs. McClay asked a reversal of the judgment.

The court holds that where a husband and wife are sued together the wife may defend for her own right, but the process by which jurisdiction of the person is acquired is separate and independent as to each defendant, although the defendants be husband and wife.

The court also affirmed the judgment of Superior Judge Mahon of Kern county, in the suit brought by W. H. Callahan against J. M. Danziger, the Lost Hills Syndicate and others, to recover $1170.73, alleged to be due for money advanced and other expenses. The lower court found for the plaintiff, and Danziger appealed.

MOTHER ENDS LIFE.

Grieving for Loss of Son Who Left Her for Bad Companions.

No sooner had Jesus Gonzalez, 29 years old, left his mother at their home, No. 1512 Kearney street, last night, after she had pleaded with him in vain to renounce his associates and settle down to work, than the grief-stricken woman, Mrs. Donaciana Gonzalez, 56 years old, ended her life by shooting.

The son was still within a few steps of the house, and returning to find his mother dying, assisted in carrying her to the ambulance which took her to the Receiving Hospital. Accompanying his mother there, the young man swooned when told of her death, and it was necessary to care for him at the institution through the night.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
[Advertising.]

Attention, classified advertisers. The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "liners," as usual, will be only 1 cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue. Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit real estate propositions, business chances, stocks, bonds, mortgages, automobiles, trucks, buggies, live stock, household furniture, furnished rooms, flats, apartments, board and other business ventures at a minimum cost. Times "Liners" get results.

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Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of November, 1916:

NOVEMBER, 1916.		Copies.
November	1	60,108
November	2	60,162
November	3	60,182
November	4	60,303
November	5 (Sunday)	104,020
November	6	60,360
November	7	60,409
November	8	73,917
November	9	61,406
November	10	64,039
November	11	62,664
November	12 (Sunday)	106,560
November	13	60,886
November	14	60,511
November	15	60,366
November	16	60,310
November	17	60,44[illegible]
November	18	60,971
November	19 (Sunday)	104,575
November	20	60,260
November	21	60,424
November	22	60,574
November	23	60,577
November	24	62,414
November	25 (Sunday)	104,160
November	27	60,180
November	28	60,510
November	29	60,720
November	30	60,641

Average for every day of November..... 67,366
Sunday only, average for November..... 104,063

HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of December, 1916.

[Seal] T. L. CRAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 27.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 30.08. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 37 deg. and 48 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 62 per cent.; 5 p.m., 63 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles. Highest temperature, 49 deg.; lowest, 36 deg. Rainfall for season, 6.85 inches; last season, 3.21 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum temperatures reported for the past twenty-four hours were: Bonita, 26 deg.; Corona, 30; Escondido, 32; Mt. Wilson, 15; Pasadena, 25; Pomona, 27; Redlands, 29; Riverside, 30; Santa Barbara, 32; San Bernardino, 26; Tustin, 30; Portesville, 29; Lindsay, 26; Bakersfield, 30 deg.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—A belt of high pressure extends across the country from Nevada eastward to the New England states. North and south of this belt of high barometer the pressure is relatively low. Heavy precipitation occurred in Mississippi and Missouri, and moderate amounts fell northerly and easterly to the Canadian boundary. Light precipitation occurred in southern California, falling mostly as snow. The temperature was 20 deg. below zero in Utah Wednesday morning. Killing frost occurred in many places throughout Southern California. Los Angeles and Pasadena registered the lowest temperatures of the year, 36 deg. and 25 deg. respectively.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Thursday, with increasing cloudiness; continued cold; killing frost in the morning; south to east winds.

For Southern California: Fair Thursday, with increasing cloudiness; continued cold; killing frost in the morning.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Rain Thursday; fresh to strong southeasterly wind.

Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Rain Thursday; fresh southerly wind.

Southern California: Rain Thursday; increasing southerly wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Forecast for Arizona: Thursday, partly cloudy, with snow in north portion; Friday, unsettled, with rising temperature.

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 27. — [Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 5200 feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued Tuesday. Name and age given.

ALLEN—ARRINGTON. Charles E. Allen, 25; Alice M. Arrington, 19.

BERGENDORF—FLESHER. William F. Bergendorf, 31; Lulu L. Fleshor, 28.

BOWER—JACKSON. Frank L. Bower, 22; Catherine Jackson, 22.

BOWER—WATSON. Forest H. Bower, 25; Widney Watson, 22.

BROWN—DAYTON. John B. Brown, 37; Emily E. Dayton, 47.

BROWNE—RANKIN. Charles L. Browne, 28; Dorothy L. Rankin, 27.

CARL — DOTT. Bennett J. Carl, 53; Madge D. Dott, 32.

CRAWFORD — MIXER. Frank C. Crawford, 30; Ella E. Mixer, 18.

DIRKS—ROGERS. William A. Dirks, 32; Emelie Rogers, 29.

EASLEY—NICHOLSON. Jack B. Easley, 20; Nelle Nicholson, 20.

GIBSON—NELSON. Edward F. Gibbons, 26; Agnes Nelson, 23.

HAMMOND — SCOTT. Harold W. Hammond, 22; Lavona M. Scott, 19.

HOUGH—HOLLINGSWORTH. Modest E. Hough, 44; Pearl Hollingsworth, 39.

JOHNSON—BANNING. Louis H. Johnson, 42; Sue G. Banning, 30.

JONES—ATTWOOD. Floyd J. Jones, 21; Myrnie V. Attwood, 17.

LLOYD—MILLER. George W. Lloyd, 53; Grace M. Miller, 34.

MARTIN—BROCKELMANN. Theodore M. Martin, 25; Irma C. Brockelmann, 20.

RHODES—ROBINSON. Clarence Rhodes, 26; Bertha I. Robinson, 26.

SHAVER—THOMPSON. James H. Shaver, 28; Selma C. Thompson, 21.

STARKS — MITCHELL. Joe Starks, 35; Leola C. Mitchell, 22.

SUTALO — BRUSCHI. Joe Sutalo, 23; Angelina Bruschi, 19.

VAN BEVEREOORDE — DUGAN. Johan E. Van Beverwoorde, 37; Alice A. Dugan, 22.

VYSEKAL—BUCHANAN. Edward A. Vysekal, 27; Luvena Buchanan, 20.

WILSON—KELSEY. Martin G. Wilson, 34; Jessie Kelsey, 26.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BAGLEY, Mr. and Mrs. Howard K. Daughter, Sisters' Hospital, December 24.

CALINA, Mr. and Mrs. George, Boy, 2221 Hunter street, December 20.

CRUZ, Mr. and Mrs. Blas, Daughter, 622 North Broadway, December 22.

CUTLAT, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund, Boy, 842 West Forty-sixth street, December 18.

DUTTON, Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Daughter, Angelus Hospital, December 18.

FEWINS, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, Boy, California Hospital, December 20.

FREDERICKS, Mr. and Mrs. Victor W., Boy, 1626 East Thirty-third street, December 22.

FRY, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Boy.—Clara Barton Hospital, December 22.

GOODWIN, Mr. and Mrs. Percy A. Boy, Sisters' Hospital, December 23.

GUERRA, Mr. and Mrs. Ledovico, Boy, 123 Clara street, December 22.

HALL, Mr. and Mrs. Portuna, Daughter, 643 Minnesa street, December 24.

HARGRAVES, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton, Daughter, 1347 Kingsley drive, December 23.

IGNACIO, Mr. and Mrs. Licario, Boy, 1924 Compton street, December 27.

JOHNSON, Mr. and Mrs. Will, Daughter, 716 Decatur street, December 26.

LEDERACK, Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Daughter, California Hospital, December 21.

LORRET, Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Boy, 412 East Twenty-sixth street, December 22.

MARTINEZ, Mr. and Mrs. Emetico, Daughter, 226 Sunset boulevard, December 27.

MILLER, Mr. and Mrs. Port C. Boy, 3940 Wisconsin street, December 19.

MONTELAND, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn, Boy, County Hospital, December 25.

NEEL, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan S. Boy, California Hospital, December 21.

O'NEIL, Mr. and Mrs. Harry, Boy, 153 Winifred street, December 25.

PARRY, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Boy, 1143 Manzanar street, December 19.

RABAGO, Mr. and Mrs. Sebastain, Daughter, 822 Parker drive, December 15.

RAMERIZ, Mr. and Mrs. Jesus, Daughter, 1726 Palo Verde street, December 19.

SATTERLEE, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Daughter, 852 West Seventy-sixth street, December 25.

SHAW, Mr. and Mrs. Russel, Daughter, County Hospital, December 23.

STEWART, Mr. and Mrs. Claud B. Daughter, 1035 East Fifty-second street, December 22.

SWEENEY, Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Boy, Sisters' Hospital, December 22.

VEZART, Mr. and Mrs. James, Daughter, Sisters' Hospital, December 24.

WAKELING, Mr. and Mrs. Alan, Daughter, 115 South Gramercy street, December 25.

WALL, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Daughter, German Hospital, December 25.

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THERE lies on the desk of President Wilson at the White House in Washington this morning the formal invitation of the Mayor and City Council of Los Angeles to the belligerent nations of Europe to hold their Peace Conference in Los Angeles.

The resolutions of invitation, adopted by the City Council yesterday morning, as the first work of the day's session, were signed later in the day by Mayor Woodman and Martin F. Betkouski, president of the Council, and properly attested by City Clerk Wilde through Deputy Clerk David Carroll. They were then sent by telegraph to Washington, so that the President of the United States may forward them through the proper channels to the European powers.

The resolutions, as published exclusively in yesterday's Times, were presented by President Betkouski immediately after the roll-call, all members of the Council being present. There were immediate seconds by Councilman Conwell, Councilwoman Lindsey and Councilman Topham.

STRONG EXPRESSIONS.

Before the vote was taken, Dr. Glen E. Williams, secretary to Mayor Woodman, appeared before the assemblage, the Mayor having not yet arrived at the City Hall, and spoke enthusiastically in behalf of the proposed measure.

"The influence of such an invitation at this time is opportune and peculiarly practicable," said Dr. Williams. "We can place a serious aspect on this action; it is possible for the European powers to accept this invitation, and there is a good reason why this Peace Conference should not be held here. On behalf of the Mayor, I urge that you adopt this resolution."

Councilman Conwell made a concise talk in favor of the resolution. "It is certainly appropriate," said Mr. Conwell, "and I am proud to give the opportunity to vote for it."

In speaking to the subject, Councilman Topham said:

"Just two days ago we celebrated the great festival which has for its sentiment peace on earth and good will toward men. The action today and bringing about peace conditions in Europe finds a responsive chord in all our hearts. Now, I believe, has come the move that will end the last of the wars of the world. It would, indeed, be a proud day in the history of Los Angeles, the City of the Angels, should it be known as the place of meeting of

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Seven men barefooted went operations at the Barton Hospital morning that a friend low-worker might up his duties. The man is Frank D. drives Road Joyner's car. His and arms were burned November 16 was cleaning an with a distillate

The men who the surgeon's knife are E. Morton, George R. Holland and of the county ment, and Louis F. Hammond and E. nell of the county proximately twenty inches of skin was the left thigh of each

The young man's Myra Green, who her mother at 3[illegible] Eighth street, offered mit to the operation, ly wishing to give herself, but neither Farlane, who performed operation, nor Dr. friends would allow her to do so.

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Councilwoman Lindsey spoke feelingly regarding the proposed action of the Council, and declared:

"Any city is honored that will have the opportunity to house the peace delegates. It is thoroughly appropriate that this invitation should be issued by this body. It is a sensible thing to do, and I gladly support it."

Dr. MacWilliams then read press dispatches indicating the imminence of the proposed Peace Conference, and urged that as many cities of the United States would seek the honor of being host for this notable gathering of peace delegates, immediate action on the part of Los Angeles is appropriate and desirable.

TWO OPPOSE IT.

Councilmen Wright and Wheeler opposed the passage of the resolution. Councilman Wright asked that it be laid over for twenty-four hours. He declared that the adoption of this resolution would put us in the category of a "Boob State," as California has been termed by a Chicago newspaper, and that the Council should delay action until the subject had been acted upon by commercial and civic bodies.

"It isn't for this Council to adjust the troubles of a troubled world," said Councilman Wright. "It is only for fear of criticism and ridicule that I oppose the measure."

Councilman Wheeler related with gusto his stand during the past two decades against strife and war, declaring that he stood against bloodshed and the destruction of human life, but he designated the resolution as "the bid of boarding-housekeepers to get trade to Los Angeles." "They wouldn't go around two-thirds of the world to meet here, and it has the sense of absurdity," said the Socialist Councilman. Both he and Councilman Wright asked to be excused from voting.

The resolution was adopted by the votes of President Betkouski, Councilmen Brain, Conwell, Langdon, Roberts, Topham and Councilwoman Lindsey.

WHAT IS THOUGHT.

In all parts of the city and adjacent territory yesterday the possibility of the peace conference being held in Los Angeles was the subject of interested discussion. There were many expressions of enthusiasm and the hope was freely voiced that this city would be so signally honored as to be selected as the meeting place for an assemblage that may pave the way for the universal abolition of wars. The subject was discussed in many phases, and the adaptability of Los Angeles for such a meeting was constantly referred to.

JOHN C. AUSTIN.

Among the many interesting expressions of opinion were the following:

John C. Austin, president of the Jonathan Club:

"I believe that this war will have been well worth fighting if it attains its final end in the attainment of a permanent world peace compact. I personally feel that it must proceed to a definite issue; yet if a peace conference is to be held, I certainly would be glad to see it held in this city. There is no better place on the face of the earth for such a conference than Los Angeles. We are equipped in spirit and in material ways to give such a gathering its proper setting and conveniences."

FRED L. BAKER.

Fred Baker, president of the Baker Iron Works:

"I am heartily in accord with the action of the Mayor and City Council in extending an official invitation for the holding of the peace conference in Los Angeles. It is a wise move and a timely one. A great longing for world peace exists in this nation, and this sentiment is noticeably strong here. This city has generously responded, time after

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Signing the Biggest Invitation Los Angeles Ever Sent.

Inviting delegates of the warring nations to a peace conference in Los Angeles.

Mayor and members of the City Council gathered at signing of the official invitation. Mayor Woodman is seated and President Betkouski of the Council is standing beside him. Back of them, from left to right, are Councilmen Conwell and Brain, Councilwoman Lindsey, Councilmen Langdon, Topham and Roberts.

Trouble.

BAD CHECK CHARGE.

Not Unknown on Police Records, a Scion of a Wealthy Family is Arrested on Accusation of Passing False Paper by Local Detectives.

Neil Colgan, member of a wealthy family, and formerly a prosperous merchant, was arrested yesterday by the Nick Harris detectives on a charge of passing false checks.

He was taken into custody in a downtown department store, when he is alleged to have offered another check. The names of W. W. Henderson and W. W. Waterhouse were signed to the checks, one of which was for $45 and the other for $35.

Mr. Colgan's name is not unknown on police records. In June, 1915, he was arrested by the Harris agency for bad checks. Also he was taken to the Police Station one night after a fight in the company in which he was sitting disrupted a cafe.

FREIGHT CARS CRASH.

Two cars of an "extra" freight train of the Southern Pacific left the tracks at Bassett at an early hour last night, damaging the loads in the cars approximately $400. No one was injured in the accident, the cause of which was not ascertained. The engineer of the train is J. F. Latham.

Important.

WOMAN "TIPS" POLICE TO RENDEZVOUS OF BANDITS.

Bullet-scarred Car and Bloody Bandages Found in Empty Barn—Detectives Keep Shotgun Vigil There Day and Night—Find Witness Who Gives Descriptions of Gang of Three.

IN A DESERTED barn at the end of Everett street a mile from any other building, Detectives Lowe and Powell of the Automobile Club of Southern California early yesterday morning discovered the rendezvous of the automobile bandits for whom the police have been searching for over a month.

The bullet-marked car in which the bandits operated Tuesday night and which was fired upon by Motorcycle Officer Draper in a running fight with the automobile highwaymen near Soto street and Stephenson avenue was found hidden away in the barn.

Evidences of other crimes were discovered by the two detectives, assisted by members of the police department. From blood-soaked rags found in one corner of the building, the police declare one of the bandits must be wounded. They believe that he is the man shot by Carl Sarnow of No. 1167 South Hoover street, Tuesday night, when the auto bandits attempted to hold him up on Vermont avenue.

The barn, which shows that it has been occupied for some time by the gang of highwaymen, must have been the spot to which the murderers of Speed Officer Kronschnable fled after shooting down the police officer near Twenty-fourth and Main streets a little over a week ago, say the detectives.

SHOTGUN VIGIL.

Believing that they will have to deal with a band of highwaymen as bad as, or worse than, the famous "Car Barn" bandits of Chicago, six police detectives with Detectives Powell and Lowe, were stationed by Lieut. Detective George Home inside the Everett-street barn yesterday morning. At 6 o'clock last night the men were relieved and a fresh detail stationed. The men were instructed to remain in the barn until the bandits returned for the automobile. At a late hour last night they reported that no one had approached the barn.

While officers with loaded shotguns and rifles remain in the barn, other officers working under Lieut. Home, all day yesterday searched the city for the woman who first gave the information of the bandit rendezvous to the Automobile Club detectives. She is believed by the police to be a member of the gang who for some reason wishes to turn them over to the police.

The information which came by telephone in a woman's voice over the Automobile Club switchboard yesterday morning, told the officers just where to find the automobile but gave no other information. Questions asked her by the detectives were unanswered and after giving the information she hung up.

Although a dozen men attempted to trace the call, the mysterious woman's identity was not discovered by the police. Today another attempt will be made to trace the call through the telephone office.

The stolen automobile recovered yesterday in the bandit barn is a Chandler with State License, No. 175673. It is the property of R. D. Bailey of No. 756 South New Hampshire street. The car with the consent of the owner will be left in the garage until the police give up hope of capturing the bandits through it.

GET THEIR DESCRIPTION.

While attempting to locate any one who could give a description of the bandit, detectives yesterday afternoon declare they located a man who not only saw the banditti but talked to them. He is, the police state, employed at the Llewellyn Iron Works and saw the bandits drive the stolen machine into the Everett-street barn.

Although the police yesterday

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Three More Found.

SCORE OF BOMB CIGARS TRACED TO THE I.W.W.

"IF YOU want to kill a man, don't shoot him, don't knife him. Just give him a cigar."

This advice, which has become a byword in I.W.W. circles, contains, it is believed, the clew that postoffice authorities are seeking to the bomb outrages being perpetrated by sending loaded cigars to business men all over the country. Postoffice Inspector Ranger believes that the instigator of the crime will be found to be a member of that illiterate, vicious and world-hating organization known as the Industrial Workers of the World.

Working with the slenderest of clews, Inspector Ranger yesterday established a few solid facts that will, it is believed, reveal the bomb-maker who, three days before Christmas, mailed twenty-five loaded cigars to business men in all parts of the United States. Three other business men, two of them Los Angeles men, received loaded cigars. But owing to the fact that all mail carriers had been notified to warn recipients of strange packages, all three men escaped.

The first intimation of bomb outrages came the day before Christmas, when John D. Bennett, of Brawley, was disfigured for life when a cigar he had received in the mail exploded. Hardly a day passed before Grover Conroy, city surveyor of Auburn, suffered a like fate from a gift stogie identical with that received by Mr. Bennett. Tuesday J. O. Burns, of the Germain Seed Company, received a like cigar, but because he had been warned, did not smoke it, and immediately turned it over to Inspector Ranger. Yesterday Nicholas Harris, of San Francisco, John T. Bill, and T. E. Berry, two motorcycle dealers of this city, received the same kind of cigars.

All six cigars came wrapped in a tin cylinder, covered with cardboard, and were addressed in print with a pencil. They were postmarked from the railway mail coach of the "Missionary," a Santa Fe train leaving Los Angeles at 6.40 p.m. All bore the date of the 22nd, inst.

In tracing these parcels Inspector Ranger yesterday uncovered several remarkable details. In questioning Conductor A. C. Garner, of the train from which the deadly cigars were mailed, he learned that it was the conductor himself who actually mailed the bombs. The train was nearing Barstow, and Conductor Garner had just finished taking his tickets. He went to the day smoking car to check in, and in sitting down, happened to notice a large box under an empty seat just across the aisle. He examined it, thinking some passenger had left it.

The lid of the box was loose. Lifting it up, he saw about twenty-five small tubular packages, all addressed and stamped. The ends of all but one were plugged up. The non-plugged end revealed the butt of a cigar. The packages were addressed to men in Los Angeles, San Francisco, other California cities, cities in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, North Dakota and Arizona. Just then the train pulled into Barstow. When the station had been passed, Conductor Garner took the packages into the mail coach and, telling the clerk that someone had failed to do their Christmas mailing, forgot the incident. The twenty-five packages were postmarked Goffs.

The brand of cheap cigar used should be easily traced, the official believes, as it is uncommon and sold by only a few dealers. Every city in the United States has been bulletined by the Federal authorities, and each mail carrier is ordered to return all suspicious packages or else warn their recipients. But six of the twenty-five men to whom the cigars were directed, have been accounted for. Two have suffered. The others have escaped by being warned in time.

"Morgan of Japan."

SHIBUSAWA RETIRES TO WORK FOR WORLD PEACE.

WHAT is considered a most important communication concerning future Japanese-American relations is a letter received by President Mitchell and Secretary Wiggins, of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday from Baron E. Shibusawa, of Japan, announcing his retirement from business to devote himself to cementing ties of friendship between the two countries. The Baron, long known as the "Morgan of Japan," was president of the First Bank of Japan, controls the majority of that country's transportation facilities, and today has a more extensive influence than any man of his country, with the exception of the Emperor himself.

The letter is in part as follows: "It is really a fact that I have now terminated my long commercial career and am rather free from the affairs of active business, but as my object of retirement is to get enough time to devote myself to the new work of public welfare movements and not to enjoy more leisure, I think the rest of my life will be, very likely, more busy than before.

"As to the problems of the American-Japanese relations, I am determined to do all that I can to promote the better friendly feelings between the two nations. I really deem it my mission to devote myself to the endeavor of making both countries the true good friends to each other forever and so I sincerely hope you will also do all within your power to fulfill the same purpose."

Baron Shibusawa toured the United States about a year ago, being entertained by various civic organizations in this and in every other large city in the country. He is noted as one of the greatest of Japan's philanthropists and humanitarians.

New One.

PRETTY GIRL IS BANDIT DECOY?

She's Held on Suspicion as Well as Her Lover.

Said to Have Aided in Bold Grocery Hold-up.

He's Identified; so is Loot in Couple's Room.

Billie M. Peterson, tattooed of arm and bobbed of hair, was arrested yesterday on suspicion she was a decoy in the operations of her alleged bandit-lover. The latter is Louis E. Sharff of Louisville, Ky., who was identified yesterday by S. Yusuda as the bandit who entered the latter's store, No. 2799 West Tenth street, Tuesday night, masked and armed, and robbed him of $20.

The pair were found living as man and wife under the names of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. O'Brien, No. 961 South Harvard boulevard, yesterday by Detectives Fitzgerald and Zeigler.

Billie Peterson, who is about 20 years old, was in the grocery store at the time of the hold-up. She had walked twelve blocks from her home, past two grocery stores, to buy a can of soup at 8 o'clock at night. While she was talking with Yusuda in the rear of the store the door suddenly opened to admit the masked and armed man, who ordered the Japanese to throw up his hands and submit to search.

The young woman was in such a terrible panic that she dashed into the living quarters of the Yusudas, where Mrs. Yusuda was sitting. Mrs. Yusuda locked the door. After Miss Peterson had heard the cash register ring, indicating the bandit was through plundering, she asked Mrs. Yusuda, the latter says, to open the door. The police believe the girl wished the door opened so her supposed friend could enter the living-rooms for further operations. But Mrs. Yusuda was too frightened and she crawled under the bed. As she had the key the door remained locked, and the bandit, who lingered as if for further signal, disappeared.

After the robbery Miss Peterson tripped boldly into the Police Station, introduced herself as Miss Dorothy Lupher of the Glenmore apartments, and said she had been terribly frightened by the bold bad robber, and that the latter had taken her purse, containing three dimes. She talked so frankly she convinced the detective that she was not involved.

Yesterday Detective Fitzgerald took up the hunt and had the couple in the Police Station. There each told a different story about everything on which they were interrogated.

When a search was made of their quarters the police found five dogs rampant in the house. Also, they found a quantity of cigars and cigarettes which Gus Wapperman, a grocer at Tenth and Normandie, identified as having been stolen from his store December 20. At that time burglars entered his store through a rear door and took the tobacco, in addition to a considerable quantity of groceries.

Sharff, the police believe, is wanted in the East. In his trunk was found a heavy "billy club," opera glasses and other articles which the police are investigating.

Billie Peterson was recently in trouble in Arizona, where she was arrested on a charge of kidnaping a 13-year-old girl and taking her to El Paso. She has a long record as a girl tramp, and wears her hair bobbed to make her disguise complete.

As to her pose of marriage, she said she and Sharff were living together to determine whether or not they were suited for a later marriage.

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GIVE SKIN FOR FELLOW-WORKER

Seven Sacrifice Cuticle to Heal Chauffeur's Burns—Girl Would Give All.

Seven men heroically underwent operations at the Clara Barton Hospital yesterday morning that a friend and fellow-worker might again take up his duties. The stricken man is Frank D. Green, who drives Road Commissioner Joyner's car. His hands, face and arms were severely burned November 16 while he was cleaning an automobile with a distillate automixer.

The men who submitted to the surgeon's knife are Charles E. Morton, George Jones, W. R. Holland and Harry Bailey of the county road department, and Louis Cubbison, F. Hammond and E. E. Cornell of the county garage. Approximately twenty square inches of skin was taken from the left thigh of each man.

The young man's sister, Miss Myra Green, who resides with her mother at No. 507 West Eighth street, offered to submit to the operation, unselfishly wishing to give all the skin herself, but neither Dr. E. M. Farlane, who performed the operation, nor Mr. Green's friends would allow her to do so.

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—35c, 42-inch Mousseline-de-Soie, yard, 50c.
—Wool Dress Goods, Remnants, HALF PRICE.
—Cheney Bros. Foulard Silks at yard, 50c.
—$2.50, 27-inch Silk Serges at yard, $1.25.
—$4 to $5.50 Fine Dress Silks at yard, $2.95.
—Women's Neckwear, values to $1.50, NOW, $1.00.
—All Wash Goods, Remnants, HALF PRICE.
—Rich $4.50 and $5.00 Wool Coatings at yard, $3.50.
—$12.50 large All Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen, $9.35.
—Beautiful Trimmed Hats to $10, NOW, $2.95.
—Exclusive Blackstone Model Hats to $20, NOW, $7.50.
—Holiday Leather and Jewelry Novelties, 1-3 OFF.
—$6.50 and $7.50 Fine Wool-filled Comforts, $4.95.
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REMOVES CYCLE SQUAD CAPTAIN

Sheriff Cline Says Drew Neglected His Duty.

Also Charges County Chief Disobeyed Orders.

New Plans to Abolish Office for Needed Economy.

Capt. Herbert Drew of the county motorcycle squad was suspended yesterday by Sheriff Cline, his permanent dismissal to take effect next Saturday unless he shows cause sufficient to have the order countermanded. The Sheriff charges insubordination, neglect of duty and other offenses.

Sheriff Cline declared last night he had heard of a number of instances in which Capt. Drew had failed to file complaints against persons arrested for speeding by the motorcycle cops, and had cautioned him not to assume such authority. He said the officer refused to obey his orders in other respects and had been active in an attempt to have the supervision of the motorcycle squad removed to the Board of Supervisors.

Not long ago Capt. Drew, according to the Sheriff, went before the grand jury and presented an argument in favor of the transfer of authority over his department. The matter will be taken before the Supervisors tomorrow.

Capt. Drew is said to have been particularly interested in the recent political campaign, and through his activities to have made a number of enemies.

It is the plan of Sheriff Cline to place the motorcycle squad under the direction of Undersheriff White and abolish the office of captain. He says it will save the county about $2900 annually.

Capt. Drew has been in charge of the squad for four years, having been appointed by Capt. John D. Fredericks while the latter was District Attorney.

For Gems.

THIEF IS DARING.

Cuts Plate Glass and Smashes the Window of a Broadway Jewelry Company in Early Morning Making Escape with Small Plunder.

Four trays of rings set with stones of small value were stolen from the store of the George Taylor Jewelry Company, No. 548 South Broadway, early yesterday morning, by a thief, who cut through the plate glass display windows. After cutting the glass, he used a brick wrapped in paper as a missile to break the window.

The sound of the breaking glass was heard several blocks along Broadway. Pedestrians notified the police. The thief in his flight, spilled some of his plunder, leaving a trial towards Mercantile Place. The loss is estimated by the police at $75.

GOVERNMENT DUTY.

Lecturer Says Uncle Sam Should Give California Million Dollars.

"If California can afford to put $32,000,000 into good roads, the United States government should see its way clear to get into California's class and give us $1,000,000 to improve the roads into the Yosemite Valley," said David A. Curry, during his lecture yesterday at the Walker Theater. Mr. Curry is on his annual tour and is showing five reels of interesting moving pictures. All the famous points of interest are shown and in addition much new film taken last summer.

One film is devoted to the motorists who enter the valley, showing the roads at various points and the finish of several of the runs. No charge is being made for the show this season, Mr. Curry having decided to devote his winter to boosting California's national park.

LITTLE BOOK HIS UNDOING.

Drug Runner was About to Escape Sentence When Facts Come to Light.

A little red-backed memorandum book, which had been dug out of the archives of the collector of customs, resulted in Mark Yater being sentenced to a year and a day at McNeil's Island, yesterday, and to pay a fine of $2500.

Before the discovery of the tell-tale volume there was a chance that the young man would escape with a jail sentence, but the stenographic hieroglyphics and figures that told of the wanderings of Yater and the amount of money that he had invested in the smoking-opium game destroyed whatever hope there might have been of leniency by United States District Judge Trippet.

The book, when its contents were translated, revealed that Yater had operated all up and down the coast from San Francisco to San Diego, with entries indicating his activities at Fresno, Bakersfield, Porterville and a number of other California cities. In addition there were a number of names supposed to be those of the buyers of the dope at these various places. It also showed that either Yater or those associated with him had invested $18,000 in 541 cans of opium, and that Yater himself had spent nearly $2000 in railroad fare traveling up and down the country from the Mexican border line.

Peace Invitation.

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time, to the call for help for war sufferers. Its sympathies have been deeply stirred, and it would be a proud period in its history were the peace conference, that may put an end universally to wars, to be held here. Los Angeles has maintained itself as a great city that has lived in harmony, although it has many foreign elements. Its neutrality has been marked, and all things considered it is indeed a fitting place for the holding of the conference that all hope will lead to permanent world peace."

BISHOP WATERHOUSE.

Bishop R. G. Waterhouse of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South: "I should be delighted to see Los Angeles selected as the place of meeting for the proposed peace conference. It certainly offers special advantages. It is far away from the scenes of the conflict that all Christian nations are praying may cease. Its environment is one to induce peaceful thought and there would be no distracting influences. This city's hospitality is well known, and it has the proper accommodations for handling a meeting such as is proposed. Let us sincerely hope that this meeting may result in the taking of such steps that war will be forever banished from civilized nations."

DR. LOCKE.

Dr. Charles Edward Locke, pastor of the First Methodist Church:

"I believe the general attitude of the citizenry of Los Angeles will be one of pleasure that the Mayor and City Council have extended this invitation, and that the citizens will stand back of it with the purpose of extending unbounded hospitality to the members of the peace conference and the attaches and other attendants, if Los Angeles is finally selected as the meeting place for this momentous event.

"The city and Southern California are well known in many parts of the world for their generous spirit of hospitality; we have the facilities for handling a gathering such as is proposed, with dignity and in keeping with its importance. Outside of New York and Chicago, there is scarcely any large city that has such a cosmopolitan population as has Los Angeles. We have many residents here who are members of the warring nations, yet they live here in peace and harmony.

"Los Angeles has been wise in maintaining an attitude of strict neutrality. Although many of us have our decided personal opinions, we have refrained from dividing into factions, and have been free from difficulties of this character.

"I am enthusiastically in favor of the movement for peace, and in the action of our city officials in extending this invitation at a propitious moment. I hope that the peace conference may be set for a very early date, and that it will occur in this city."

Assurances came from managers of the big hotels that they will welcome the opportunity to throw open their doors to the peace delegates.

Vernon Goodwin, vice-president of the Alexandria Hotel Company, said last night: We welcome the opportunity to give these peace delegates everything in our power to show our good will and that we are heartily in sympathy with the peace movement. When I read in The Times this morning that the City Council would send a telegram to Washington inviting the peace conference to come to Los Angeles I was pleased more than I have been over anything else Los Angeles has ever done. It's the finest move the city ever made, and if the invitation is accepted everything we have will be at the disposal of the delegates. Los Angeles, the playground of the world, seems to me to be the logical place for a peace conference. I'm glad that the City Council has invited the peace conference to come here, because it shows that we right here at home are thinking of peace and of the good of the other part of the world. The Alexandria will be turned over absolutely to the entertainment of these delegates if they accept the invitation of Los Angeles to come here, and we will leave nothing undone to make them comfortable and happy.

Col. Drake of the Virginia Hotel said:

I think this move on the part of Los Angeles a humanitarian one, and if the invitation is accepted I will only be too glad to offer the hospitality of the Virginia to the delegates. I will co-operate with the other hotel men to see that nothing in the way of cordial hospitality is neglected. We welcome to Los Angeles the peace delegates. May delegates to the peace conference be the very first delegates that our city entertains next year! If Los Angeles could be the meeting place of a conference that would mean world peace it would be the most notably humanitarian achievement in her history, something that the city could be proud of until the end of time.

Walter Raymond:

I think the move on Los Angeles' part to try to get the peace conference to come here a fine thing. I hope we get it, and if we do the Raymond Hotel will be at the disposal of the delegates. I am heartily in favor of the peace conference being held here, and I am sure every big hotel in the Southland will only be too glad to welcome the delegates and to entertain them in such manner that they will be sincerely glad that this was the spot chosen in which to consider world peace. It is most pleasing to know that this peace idea is taking hold of the people everywhere, but most gratifying still to realize that our beautiful City of the Angels has sent out the first invitation to the delegates to come here. Let us hope they will welcome the invitation enough to accept our hospitality.

Justice.

TO SENTENCE CAPLAN.

Convicted Dynamiter's Lawyers to Ask New Trial on Ground of Newly-discovered Evidence which State Contends is Cumulative.

David Caplan, who was recently convicted of manslaughter in connection with the destruction of the original Times Building and the murder of twenty persons, will appear before Judge Willis this morning for sentence. His attorneys will argue for a new trial upon the ground of newly-discovered evidence, but Deputy District Attorney Keyes will oppose the motion, declaring the evidence is merely cumulative.

Caplan's attorneys told Judge Willis yesterday they have some information in relation to the purchase of some dynamite in Tacoma. It is said the explosive was purchased about the same time the nitroglycerin used in the local catastrophe was bought at Giant.

The maximum sentence which can be imposed upon Caplan is ten years.

Council Acts.

FIRST STEP TO MERGE OFFICES.

Consolidation Plan Under Way with Supervisors.

County Does Tax Collector's and Assessor's Work.

Attorneys Ordered to Frame Necessary Ordinance.

In order to carry out the wishes of the people, as expressed at the last charter amendment election, to consolidate the city and county offices of Tax Collector and Assessor, the Council yesterday authorized its Finance Committee to confer with the finance department of the Board of Supervisors to arrange the amount of compensation to be paid by the city to the county. Chairman Pridham of the Supervisors said the county will do the work at actual cost, which has been estimated at $10,000 for the first year and afterward it may be a little less.

This action was taken at a meeting in the Council Chamber attended by the Council, the Supervisors, city and county officials, representatives of the Realty Board, the County Civil Service Commission and other organizations. County and City Attorneys will later on frame an ordinance whereby the county will do the assessing and collecting of the general tax, but the city will not turn over to the county the collection of licenses and special assessments.

President Betkouski of the Council, who presided, said it is not practical to turn over the latter, but it will be a great accommodation to have the general tax for the city and county collected by the county, both city and county taxes being paid at the same time and the same place.

Councilman Conwell said the absurdity of having two sets of officers working on the same property belonging to the same people was so manifest it was a wonder it had continued so long. City Clerk Wilde said there is no difficulty in the way.

City Assessor Mallard claimed unless the city is very careful it will invalidate the tax roll. He said "there are no laws in the State so complicated as the tax laws. You have the largest proposition you ever had on your hands to consolidate these offices. You will have to look out or you will get into difficulties. You have a $6,000,000 tax roll which you may jeopardize."

Councilwoman Lindsey said she would like to have an explanation of how the city might get into difficulties.

City Assessor Mallard said there were a hundred chances, but did not enumerate any, and Chairman Pridham of the Supervisors declared, as he understands the law, there is no possible chance of either the city or the county becoming involved and announced he was in full accord with the desire of the people to have as many city and county offices consolidated as possible.

Herbert L. Cornish, chairman of the Realty Board's committee, agreed with Mr. Pridham and said it is only a question of procedure. He said early action could be expected by the Legislature in ratifying the charter amendment. He and Assistant City Attorney Howard Robertson will go to Sacramento on January 8 to attend to the matter.

SURE OF PARDON.

Friends of Convicted Attorney are Arranging for Time Extension.

Friends of Frederick M. Shepard, the convicted attorney charged with opium smuggling, are so sure that he will be pardoned by President Wilson, since United States District Judge Bledsoe signed the recommendation to the Chief Executive, that they are arranging for another extension of time at the hands of the United States Circuit Court of Appeal.

The present date expires January 3, and another for thirty days will be asked for, in the belief that clemency will be awarded Shepard by the President by that time.

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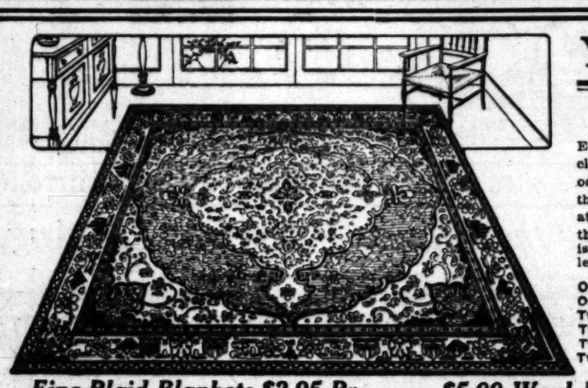

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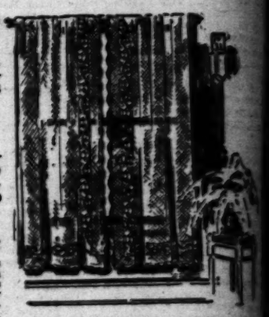

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Jewelry Novelties 15c
This sale includes regular 35c and 35c beauty pins, circle pins, bar pins, beads, etc., etc. A cleanup of many odds and ends.

Linen Hdkfs. 7½c
Women's linen handkerchiefs with fancy embroidered corners, some with initials. A small lot of soiled handkerchiefs from higher priced stock.

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Redfern Corsets $6.00 Models for .. $3.95
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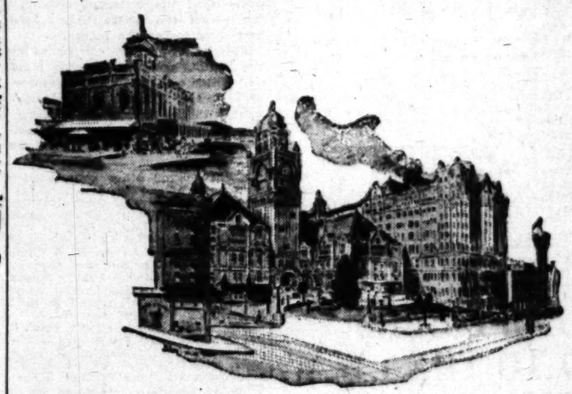

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Debutantes.

Through a fairy-like forest of redwoods, with the gnarled trunks supporting a leafy network canopy through which twinkled the morning star and its attendant constellation, came a Russian sleigh into the transformed dining-room of the Los Angeles Country Club last night, as the chimes struck 12 o'clock, and from out the depths of this reindeer, veritable usually appropriated for the use of Santa Claus sprang two young girls clad in white furs from the throats of their ermine-capped heads to the tips of their boots—the Misses Gertrude and Marian Kerkhoff, who recently began a snowball battle with the several hundred guests being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Balch in honor of these twin debutantes. These glistening white furs had been made soft and attractive for the purpose, constituting they did just one of the surprise features of this, one of the most brilliant functions ever given in the city. The ballroom adhered to the holiday motif, with Christmas garlands set up for mural adornment with sprays of plenty heaped in luscious profusion, while the lights were cornucopia candelabra. But every other feature suggested the Forest of Arden motif, with the gentlemen wearing Robin Hood caps and the sweet girls '16 buds and society matrons representing wood nymphs with their coiffures wreathed in holly, mistletoe and fern fronds. The only people in special costume were the strolling minstrel performers, who sang glees and Christmas carols, while jesters performed "stunts." In one room holly was impersonated, and in another mistletoe, these two doing clever exhibition dances.

The party did not begin until 10 o'clock and an elaborate supper was served at 12 o'clock, at tables done in holly, mistletoe and red candles. The debutantes and college set danced and frolicked until the wee hour of 3, when they went into the hall for a substantial egg-bacon breakfast. From that hour they continued the time happily away into the morn, using the dining-room for the latter part of the Terpsichorean entertainment.

Mrs. Balch, who was assisted by a few intimate friends, all of whom were noticeably handsome toilettes, received in an importation that suited perfectly into the scheme of things, her gown being of iridescent beauty, sequies over white—Queen Snow, all a-sparkle and scintillating. Mrs. William G. Kerckhoff was also in white silver brocade, while her two debutante daughters, honorees of the evening, wore filmy bouffant dancing frocks, Miss Gertrude in orchid tulle and her sister, Miss Marian, in apple-foam green and silver, concealed beneath their huge fur coats for the midnight snowball surprise. Mrs. James McBride Cockins, one of the

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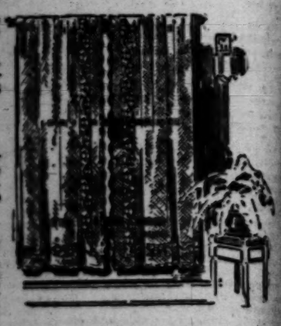

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assisting ladies and an intimate friend of both Mrs. Balch and Mrs. Kerckhoff, was stunning in white tulle embroidered in beads and rhinestones and built over silver cloth.

While the invitation list was one of the largest of the winter, the young folk were in the fore with very few of the married folk included, for we have so many of the college set and their friends and the society buds to entertain during the holiday gaieties that their elders are magnanimously submerging their own pleasures for the time, that there be no shadow upon the fair horizon of their happiness. Youth was undeniably the dominating note, holding the helm—the buoyancy of the joy of living was everywhere.

No time was set for the music to stop nor for the departure of the fair guests and their escorts. Good-nights—good-mornings, rather—had not yet been said when this paper went to press. Such is irrepressible youth.

And why should one have to wait until January 1 to welcome the New Year when young '17, a mere mite of a dimpled creature, is already casting his infantile smile over our calendar?

For the College Set.

Miss Julia Valentine, who is home from Berkeley for the holiday festivities, is to give a dinner dance at Midwick Country Club the evening of Saturday, January 6, for a number of her school friends. This charming girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lucas Valentine of North Wilson avenue, Pasadena, and is returning to the University of California about the 15th inst., together with others of our school set enrolled there.

For the Morrow.

At her home, No. 2501 Wilshire boulevard, Miss Julia Hayward, home from Briarcliff, N. Y., for the holidays, is to give a luncheon on the morrow. The guests will be seated at a large oval board centered in violets and pink rosebuds—a pleasing change from the usual red and green that has dominated the merry Christmas functions. Among those to whom invitations have been extended are Miss Louise Forve, Miss Eleanor MacGowan, Miss Madaline Souden, Miss Mildred Wellborn, Miss Doris Collins, Miss Jane Richardson, the Misses Catherine and Rachel Ward, Miss Mary Forve, Misses Corinne and Agnes Eisenmayer, Miss Marguerite Schneider, Miss Helen Burke, Miss Julia Valentine, Miss Cecile McLaughlin, Miss Marjorie Hines, Miss Margaret Miller, Miss Elizabeth Urmston, Miss Katharine Torrance, Miss Margaret Johnson, Miss Dorothy Thompson, Miss Helen Staats, Miss Evelyn Johnson, Miss Rosalee Wilcox, Miss Mary McMillan and Miss Laura Green.

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TREMENDOUS UNISON EFFECTS IN RUSSIAN BALLET.

By Frederick B. Moore.

The language of the dance, as it is known to many nations, is spoken by the Diaghileff ballet at the Auditorium this week. But always it is spoken with vigor. Virility, speed and mutation are the very essence of what these Russians do. Whether the barbarism of the Slavic dances or the daintiness of the lightest French ballet is the dominant note, the energy and earnestness are there.

Tremendous power is developed in the ensembles—perhaps the most astonishing of all the trenchant effects that are evolved, always with surprising swiftness. There is a refreshing assurance that the principal, no matter how great, has not been forced forward at the expense of that great force expressed by the unison. And yet the choreographer's skillful management of the dancers always seems merely to embellish and enrich by numbers what the principals are doing.

The free use made of the Slavic, Egyptian, classic and oriental ideas in the dancing, as well as in theme, costumes and decors, gives a variety decidedly novel in anything known by the name of "ballet." It is only at times that the ballet of the French school shines forth like a clean-cut gem.

When one thinks of Waslav Nijinsky one thinks of ballet. As a ballet dancer he rose to eminence. Yet in his work this week there is unmistakably something else that is difficult to define, that seems to be to dancing what the product of the futurist is to painting.

In the "Apres-midi d'un Faune" this strange element is dominant. The Diaghileff management has been frank enough to announce that this particular ballet, designed by Nijinsky himself, "discards conventions," even to the place where "the line of beauty" is lost. That is true. There isn't anything beautiful about "Faune." Nijinsky's art appears in that he ceases to be human and is a mawkish beast—and it is all very effective.

REVOLUTIONARY TECHNIQUE.

This is the same advanced idea that lurks in "Le Dieu Bleu" and in other things Nijinsky has done—a breaking away from technique according to the academists, and a substitution of action that, while it still reveals the artist, would beyond doubt shock the good ballet masters of the academies.

There is another side to Nijinsky's work, well exemplified in "Princess Enchantee." That is ballet, of the kind known throughout Western Europe for these many years. There Nijinsky is a ballet dancer, and nothing more, doing the sort of work with which he electrified Europe some years since. And when Nijinsky dances in "Princess Enchantee" one is tempted to believe there has possibly been something sacrificed to the futuristic—if that is the best word. Elevation is a prime essential for the male dancer, and from afar Nijinsky has been heralded as perhaps the greatest of the "leapers." Has his elevation slackened? It is true matchless rhythm is there in everything he does. There is ease and elegance in his cabriole, his entrechat and his brise. Yet there unquestionably is not exceeding brilliance. The artist shines forth; there is still the appearance of tigerish strength, but one finally feels he has not seen the tiger really leap.

An astonishing fellow is Adolf Bolm. His bits of ballet are as well cut as cameos. But his work merges constantly into the dramatic; his excellence is first of all in pantomime, and his power perhaps greatest in the Slavic dances that are unknown to the academists. His pirouettes sur l'aire in "Prince Igor" are dizzy masterpieces. The ease of his elevation is notable. Yet one thinks of Bolm rather as the dying Amoun in "Cleopatre," or the unfortunate victim of Thamar's capricious knife, or a Pierrot that makes "Papillons" real art.

MASTERY OF STYLE.

In "Papillons," too, Mlle. Lopokova shows mastery of true ballet. This dainty creature, a very incarnation of the "Butterfly," runs sur les pointes with charming lightness and steadiness. The real strength of her apparent fragility is revealed in her swift and clean brisss, cabrioles and once, when lifted by Bolm, in an entrechat six both strong and clean. Her elevation is quite as remarkable—light, easy, steady, without the suggestion of strain in arm or neck. In "Princess Enchantee" her work rises to more technical difficulty, and she executes steadily, through bar after bar of music, battements sur la cou-de-pied that fairly sparkle. Her tour de force is also rapid and effective.

Mlle. Revalles is seen at her best opposite Bolm in the heavier of the dramatic ballets. Her chief strength seems to lie in her pantomine, perhaps in her repose. The immobility of "Cleopatre" upon her couch rivals that of the colossi that flank the walls of her palace. The languor of tragic "Thamar" is as weighty as the flash of passion in which she plunges a dagger into her ill-fated lover. And the sinuousness inseparable from the oriental dance is hers in exceeding degree.

But, after all, the tremendous effects are achieved with the corps de ballet. In its work at once is discernible serious application. There is that remarkable bacchanale in "Cleopatre," with the drunken music and the wild dancers who fall upon the stage with one startling movement, as though cut down with a scythe. There are the rush of the warriors downstage and the coordinated double pirouettes of "Prince Igor." There is in "Papillons" toe work so uniform that the dancers seem to float on the undulations of vagrant breezes. The choreographer has worked with material of uniform mould, and the effects he has wrought are evidence of its excellence.

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Valeska Suratt,

In one of her famously bizarre costume creations, and (above) Kathleen Kirkham, who plays the role of Mrs. Taine in Clune's productions of "The Eyes of the World." Miss Suratt is appearing in "The Victim" this week at Miller's Theater. "The Eyes of the World" will have its premiere Monday afternoon at Clune's Auditorium.

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NTH-POWER REALISM.

"WIDOWING OF MRS. HOLROYD" AT LITTLE THEATER.

By Grace Kingsley.

Poignant, gripping and vivid in its startling realism, yet almost repellantly grewsome, is "The Widowing of Mrs. Holroyd" at the Little Theater. It is acted with marvelous dramatic cunning by the players, who fairly outdo themselves in the offering.

There is a soul of realism, as well as the body, in this play. Its bleak human misery has not been surpassed on the stage. Galsworthy gives us plenty of painful, sordid realism, but illumines it ever with some big significance, the divine flame of revealing genius. It is this saving spark which "The Widowing of Mrs. Holroyd" lacks. A vague flickering ray of such redeeming spiritual grace is hinted at in the big, patient, unselfish love of Blackmore for the wife, but there is only passion afraid and ashamed of itself given in return; there is not even a big soul conflict.

The greatest qualities of the play are its manifestations of two souls trembling on the verge of a mighty passion, but held back by deadening circumstances—by lack of realization of the thing lying between them. Again, there is the moment when the woman is appalled by the superstitious conviction that her desire for her husband's death has brought it about, the force of this being increased by the faint hint that the poor sodden drunkard himself willingly let his life flicker out in the mine where he labored.

We are spared no fearful detail. The husband is reported dead, the mother wails, the dead body is brought in, laid half naked on the floor, and actually washed.

The acting of the company is beyond all ordinary praise. There is no shade of feeling indicated in the lines of the wife which Kirah Markham does not bring out in her reading of them. And no brief words can do justice to the excellence of the work of Athol Hayes as Holroyd; W. Frayne Williams as Blackmore; Irene Bevins as the grandmother, and of the others in the cast.

If you want to see the most grewsome and the best acted play in Los Angeles today go and view "The Widowing of Mrs. Holroyd."

Superba.

Dickens's stories are all peculiarly adapted to the screen, I think, owing to their clean-cut drama and vivid types. The warm and radiant Christmas spirit as embodied in the well-loved "Christmas Carol" is preserved with wonderful effectiveness and artistry in the picture play at the Superba this week, and one laughs and weeps through the joys and sorrow of Tiny Tim and Bob Cratchett and Old Scrooge, and shudders realistically at the appearance of Marley's Ghost.

The picture is done in a really remarkable manner. There are no sumptuous settings, no famous names to carry it; yet, I got more joy out of this little photoplay than I have from half a dozen so-called features. Rupert Julian makes an ideally flinty-hearted Scrooge, who later reforms and radiates joy and gladness. I do not know who plays Bob Cratchett, the old book-keeper, but his characterization is as good a bit of screen work as I have ever seen. Little Frankie Lee, as Tiny Tim, too, was entirely lovable, and the other members of the cast all deserve much commendation.

Looks Like Him Anyhow.

Frank Otto, playing the lead in "Hit-the-Trail Holliday," which is making a big hit at the Mason this week, has several times been taken for Billy Sunday, who is supposed to be the original of the hero of the play. Not only in looks but in mannerisms, the two are alike. In Boston, one afternoon, not long ago, Otto was strolling down Washington street, when a ministerial-looking gentleman approached him. He took a good look at Otto, and then stopped him.

"Pardon me for addressing you, but I want to congratulate you," he said: "Your work last night did a great deal of good."

Otto naturally blushed. "Thanks," he stammered. "Don't know as I'm such a very great actor; still, I get away with it."

"Actor!" gasped the minister. "Of course, you aren't an actor!"

"Well, I wouldn't say that, either, exactly," exclaimed Otto.

"Why, aren't you Billy Sunday?" cried the minister.

And mutual explanations followed.

Little Mary in Person.

Little Mary Sunshine, otherwise Baby Marie Osbourne, star of "Joy and the Dragon," showing at Tally's Broadway this week, will appear in person at that theater tomorrow evening.

Only Three More Chances.

The famous Nijinsky Ballet Russe aggregation will appear only three more times this week at Clune's Auditorium. There will be performances tonight, tomorrow night and Saturday matinee, but none on Saturday night.

Loves Nature.

Nijinsky, the world-famed dancer at Clune's Auditorium, spends his vacations in the mountains. He refuses the ordinary comforts, too, preferring to rough it. He owns a mountain home in Russia, and it is here, near to nature, he plans his dances. He says the story of the marvelous and mysterious dance of the faun came to him one moonlight night, as, unable to sleep, he paced the shores of a little lake near his home. A wild deer, which came down to the lake to drink, took on the semblance of one of the beings of Greek mythology known as a faun, and the story evolved itself in the dancer's imagination.

The dancer loves California for its rugged mountains, and spends his leisure hours motoring and climbing through them. He will visit Catalina Island during his stay, as he is anxious to view the submarine gardens.

Illington, Too!

Margaret Illington has just signed a long-term contract with the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play Company to appear exclusively in its productions of the Paramount programme. Miss Illington's first screen play will be an adaptation of "The Inner Shrine," by Basil King, dramatized by Channing Pollock. This will be followed by a photoplay written especially for her by Charles Kenyon, author of "Kindling."

Miss Illington will leave New York for California about the middle of January. She has received many flattering offers to appear in pictures, but so far has refused. It remained for Mr. Lasky to persuade her to join the ranks which boast Geraldine Farrar and other famous ones.

Tally's Broadway.

Baby Marie Osborne, who in her two previous pictures demonstrated her ability to hold the attention of an audience, is winning new friends this week by her delightful portraval of the leading role in "Joy and the Dragon" at Tally's Broadway. She is a special favorite of the children, who perhaps best appreciate the charm of naturalness in acting.

The attraction selected by Mr. Tally for next week's programme is a picturization of George Randolph Chester's fascinating story, "The Enemy," in which Peggy Hyland heads an all-star cast.

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How Strange!

VALESKA IN DISGUISE.

APPEARS AS A POOR WORKING GIRL AT MILLER'S.

By Edwin Schallert.

There are several villains and assistant villains, a bank robbery, blackmailing, a fight between an escaped convict and a detective, and Valeska Suratt in "The Victim," down at Miller's Theater this week. I put Valeska last because she is a crowning touch of sensationalism in a picture.

The film play, of course, is a melodrama. It might be something else with Valeska Suratt, but it couldn't be anything else with the other features mentioned.

The supply of villains appears to be increasing, notwithstanding they slay them unceasingly. They kill one off in the middle of this play by allowing the rope on which he is escaping from an upper window to break. They let the convict get another out of the way in the fight.

If you want something exciting you'll find "The Victim" pretty good entertainment in the main. It isn't dress-up week for Miss Suratt, for she has to look something like a poor working girl in the early portion of the film. But she makes up for this as soon as the story allows her sufficient prosperity.

Alhambra.

Picturesque settings, clever photography, judicious cutting and attractive and interesting people have a lot to do with keeping the movie world going round. In "Broken Chains" at the Alhambra, Ethel Clayton is fetching and Carlyle Blackwell shows his ability to act and wear natty uniforms, while the film is effectively staged and made.

We don't have many stories laid in Florida, and this adds a quality of novelty to "Broken Chains." The atmosphere of the play touches on the conflict between white man and negro in after-war times. The plot concerns a young army officer convicted on false charge of murder, a negro having been really guilty of the deed.

Florida is a long ways from California, and Florida no doubt has some interesting laws regarding the contracting out of prisoners for work. A subtitle refers to documentary evidence of this, a la Griffith style. But no laws will prove why a "hero" should take refuge in the home of his sweetheart when he escapes prison, when he might very well know he would drag her into a nasty mess, and why her guardian, the uncle of the murdered man, would allow her to "contract" the prisoner for work, consisting partly of horseback riding and other pleasures.

The story does not entirely live up to a good beginning.

There is a mighty good comedy to brace out the bill. As a whole the offering is fair.

Garrick.

Charlie Chaplin is back again in "The Bank," "A Night at the Show" and "Shanghaied," all together, at the Garrick, this week. It's a long laugh and a good one, this second Essanay revue. In fact, it's got more of the clever Charlie than revue No. 1, which included "The Tramp," "His Night Out" and "His New Job." If you haven't seen Chaplin in the plays comprised in the second revue, now is a good time to buy, as they say in the dry good advertisements, and if you have seen him you'll probably have forgotten enough to laugh at many episodes over again.

Here and Coming.

SHOW WORLD REVIEW.

SPECTACULAR ATTRACTIONS TO MARK COMING WEEK.

For the grandeur of its scenic descriptions, for lofty sentiment and unparalleled heart appeal, "The Garden of Allah" is one of the greatest novels of the decade, and these qualities are said to have been well preserved in the Liebler production of the play, which comes to the Mason next week.

Few who have read the fascinating novel will fail to take advantage of the opportunity to see it on the stage.

"Hit-the-Trail Holliday" continues on its fun-making way at the Mason this week. If George M. Cohan ever had an inspiration for a better play he failed to give it expression. The character work of every member of the cast is well-nigh beyond criticism.

"Hit-the-Trail Holliday" is a good-natured satire on the Billy Sunday method of reform.

Morosco.

"Potash and Perlmutter" has proved an excellent Christmas present at the Morosco, and every performance since last Sunday's matinee has been given before a packed house. This clean-cut comedy, which was the sensation of two continents for more than two years, has tremendously pleased the theatergoers of Los Angeles.

Richard Dix and James Corrigan have probably never before given anything quite so good in character work as their representations of those gentle, unconscious humorists, Abe and Mauruss.

Burbank.

The special holiday week attraction at the Burbank, "Seven Keys to Baldpate," is undoubtedly one of the best productions ever given in that popular playhouse. It is a typical George M. Cohan play, combining rich melodrama and a fine vein of comedy.

The excellent cast includes A. Burt Wesner, Warner Baxter, Inez Plummer, Harry Duffield, Grace Travers, Miss Billie Boland, Frank Darien and Emelie Melville.

Orpheum.

There is to be "big doin's" at the Orpheum New Year's Day. Beside the regular matinee two shows will be given at night, one beginning at 7:30 and the other at 9:45 o'clock prompt. The New Year's bill has four topliners, including the ever-welcome "blue streak of vaudeville," Ray Samuels, with a big bunch of brand new gowns, brilliant songs and red hot monologue. Bert Savoy and Jay Brennan are said to be better than ever in their side-splitting skit, "On the Rialto."

"Lots and Lots of It" is a brilliant "Mutterstub" comedy interpreted by Phil White, Hebrew comedian, McKay and Ardine will present their happy sketch, "On Broadway," that never fails to please.

New fantasies of the dance, numbers originally intended to be displayed before the Kaiser, will be the offering of Mlle. Vera Sabina and her clever partner, and Ralph Dunbar's Maryland singers and Gautier's Animated Toy Shop will be heard and seen again.

The bill also includes Kenney and Hollis, Sarah Padden in "The Clod" and Kaliss and Stone in "Ma'mselle Caprice."

Pantages.

Harry Hines will be host at Pantages Friday night. The comedian will take that occasion to introduce for the first time in Los Angeles vaudeville the "Movie Ball" rag hit, by Grace Cunard, the noted film star, and Miss Cunard, Francis Ford and many other well-known players will be Hines's guests. The "Fifty-eighth Variety" plans to interpolate into the catchy song a riotous burlesque on movie life, and his many friends in the screen world will be on hand to see themselves as Hines sees them. From Adonis, with his great posing act, to O'Neal and Walmsley, with their girls, every act is going in great style. This week Raul Pereira and his talented string sextette receive an especially large ovation at every show.

Hippodrome.

The Hippodrome programme has the real Yuletide atmosphere this week, namely, good cheer throughout. Opening the festivities, the six Caroline Girls, a bevy of dusky queens, assisted by Marshall and Anthony, a pair of clever comedians, start the entertainment at a fast clip. Frank Coulter follows with clever songs and talk. The troubles of "A Souse" on arrival home after a night out are humorously depicted by Sam Harris and company in a clever skit. May Marya, with her dainty originality, scores nicely in every respect. So does the great Vernon with his family of dummies. Classy dispensers of real harmony, proving up to the promises, are the Original Four, a quartette of melody chaps. For real originality and clever artistry the Inax troupe are a most appropriate climax to a splendid programme.

Symphony.

"The Awakening of Helena Richie," which as a novel was one of the best sellers in many months, will be the splendid attraction at the Symphony next week, with popular Ethel Barrymore in the leading role. The Symphony will start the new year with a new manager, new decorations, loge seats and a determination to secure better plays than ever before for its patrons, it is announced. The new manager is B. C. Steele, a well-known film impresario who comes from Cleveland, O.

This week at the Symphony Julius Steger is touching the hearts of thousands in his excellent portrayal of a defrauded genius in "The Stolen Triumph."

Majestic.

Pronounced the finest piece of work the Selig company has ever given to the public, "The Crisis" has been growing in popularity every day since its initial presentation at the Majestic Theater last Sunday afternoon. "The Crisis" is a gripping story of the days that preceded the Civil War, and most of the scenes in the picture were taken in St. Louis, Vicksburg and other southern cities, where the theme is laid.

Starring in the story are Bessie Eyton, Mat Snyder, Thomas Santschi, George Fawcett, Sam Crane, Marshall Neilan and Eugene Besserer. Two showings are given daily—one in the afternoon and one in the evening.

Woodley's.

In richness of imagination, in delineation of the purity of childhood, in the romantic interest of its plot and in the morals which it points without preaching, "Snow White" has long been conceded to be the greatest fairy story ever written. This favorite of fairyland is to appear on the screen at the Woodley Theater next Saturday, with beautiful Marguerite Clark in the leading role. Miss Clark played in this role on the stage for two seasons at the Little Theater in New York under the management of Winthrop Ames, and she expresses herself as more than pleased with the filmization.

"Oliver Twist," Charles Dickens's greatest character novel, continues to attract immense crowds to Woodley's this week, and Marie Doro, in the title role, is adding new laurels to her well-deserved fame.

Palace.

"Seventeen," Booth Tarkington's romantic masterpiece, is proving one of the best attractions ever offered at the Palace. Jack Pickford and Louise Huff, the popular stars, are exceptionally clever in this pretty play, which first appeared in serial form in the Saturday Evening Post.

The rich comedy, "Shooting His 'art Out," is by no means the least attraction of the bill, which also contains another thrilling episode of "Pearl of the Army."

Next week's bill features "The Victoria Cross," with an all-star cast headed by Cleo Ridgley and Lou Tellegan.

Clune's Broadway.

"The funniest picture Douglas Fairbanks ever did." That is the verdict of many movie fans who have seen "The Matrimaniac" at Clune's Broadway this week. If not the funniest, it certainly is one of the very best things that Fairbanks has achieved on the screen. It is one of those romping, rollicking comedies in which the would-be bridegroom gets himself and everybody else into a thousand scrapes before he finally succeeds in obtaining a license and a preacher—and the girl. The picture will hold the screen until next Monday, when William S. Hart will appear in a splendid western drama entitled "Truthful Tulliver."

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) European conditions seemed to exert little direct influence upon New York Stock Exchange trading; rather, the share list was affected by the course of affairs regarding Mexico, with reactionary tendencies in stocks most affected by whatever might happen below the Rio Grande. Industrials were in fair demand and equipments and metals averaged better. International bonds were further shaded.

With only three business days of the year remaining gold to the amount of $631,300,000 has been imported into the United States from all sources during 1916.

For the first time since the beginning of the war, Germany appeared as a heavy buyer of wheat, in the Chicago market. Purchases were for delivery at Gulf ports.

(Abroad:) The annual report of the Berlin Chamber of Commerce states that during 1916 "close co-operation of the government and the people made practically available all the means which guarantee the possibility of a continuation of the war and the providing of all the necessities of life."

Trading on the Paris Bourse was steady. Rentes were quoted at 6055. Exchange on London at 27.81 1-8 and the 5 per cent. loan at 88.25.

A THING OF BEAUTY.

Did you see that sunset Tuesday night, and had you ever dreamed that anything could be so glorious? There are rare moments in life when one imagines he can appreciate the divine madness of the man of Patmos when that transcendent vision flashed on his spirit's sight.

BUNK.

This is the time of year when baseball players swear they will retire from the game unless they are given their own figures for the coming season. It is to laugh. There are no places in the street cleaning department or in the bar-keep profession going begging.

BABY STATISTICS.

It has been figured out that every married woman capable of bearing children must on an average bring three children to maturity if the population is to be kept up. But why were not these statistics brought to light sooner? How it would have boosted the Leap Year business in the year that is about to close?

ATAVISTIC.

A man unblushingly confessed in a local criminal court that he had been married five times and that in no case had there been the formality of a divorce. It seems too bad to prosecute that man. He really doesn't belong to this age. He harks back to the olden days in the Orient when a man could secure a new bride any old time by presenting the girl's father with a couple of fat camels.

VALE, DEAD YEAR!

The year 1916 will soon be gathered to its fathers. It has been a good twelvemonth to all of us, in spite of our views to the contrary. It has been so much better than any of us deserved. But with its joys and its sorrows, its mistakes and all, it is about to pass. The record is made up, and all the tears will not wipe out one line of it. Let us keep our face to the future and hope for the best, for without hope we are undone.

POSSIBILITIES.

Will there be a great spiritual awakening throughout the world after the strife in Europe is ended? It is logical to believe it. The universal forces are positive and negative. The pendulum of life swings to and fro and one extreme always follows another. The idea of the supremacy of physical prowess will probably be followed by the recognition of that silent power that makes physical force possible. Man may yet walk humbly before his Maker, in perfect peace and with a new and greater strength.

THEY ARE AFTER HIM.

There is a movement on foot to depose Chairman Willcox of the National Republican Committee, on account of the result of the recent campaign. If Hughes had been a winner the detractors of Willcox would be throwing their hats for him. But it does seem that no excuse exists for a lack of knowledge of conditions in a number of Western States that manifested themselves in Wilson victories. National politics is an eminently practical business, and tyros should not apply. But Mr. Willcox was the choice of Judge Hughes, and he had more at stake than any other man.

THE LOVE THAT LASTS.

At their home in Benedict Canyon, an old man, 80 years of age, and his wife, aged 70, both passed away on Christmas Eve and were laid to rest together. For fifty years she had been his helpful companion, through storm and shine, and it was her wish that when he should be taken she might be allowed to accompany him across the Great Divide. "They were lovely and pleasant in their lives and in their death they were not divided." In spite of misunderstandings and divorces, when we read of such deep affection as this we are compelled to acknowledge that there is a genuine affinity that exists between a good man and a good woman, a love that outlasts all the storms of passion, the singing sales of misfortune and the snows of age.

AND NOW THE LEGISLATURE.

California's Forty-second Legislature will be confronted by civil, criminal and political codes that are in a deplorable condition by reason of the maze of legislation enacted during the last six years. A few of the laws have been good, but more than 1500 of the new acts have served to confuse rather than to clarify the codes.

The fault of much of the legislation of the last six years has been that it was promulgated by an organized minority in order that it might exploit to its own advantage the unorganized majority.

This explains the presence of the initiative and the referendum in our Constitution, of our complicated and notoriously unfair election laws, of inheritance tax laws with a maximum so ridiculously high that it is affecting injuriously the development of the natural resources of the State, of at least fifteen commissions that are interfering needlessly with the civil rights of citizens of the State, commissions that were created for the single purpose of providing positions for persons who had aided the State machine in successful political campaigns, of criminal laws that make those adjudged guilty of murder prefer a life sentence to an intermediary one of twenty years.

The coalition known as the State machine represents no party, but is an adroit combination of minorities of widely different ideas concerning government, coalesced into a majority that is controlled by a small coterie of unscrupulous politicians who are in the game of politics for what they can make out of it.

Among these minorities are extremists of almost every shade of political faith. The machine looks out carefully for coteries that follow certain fads and it pledges itself to legislative support for certain of the faddist measures in return for political support in the State elections. This explains why we have so many commissions and so many freak laws on our statute books. To illustrate: In the last Legislature was an Assemblyman who would take the programme of the machine for whatever political legislation it desired in return for support for a measure compelling hotel-keepers to furnish bed sheets not less than nine feet in length. He believed that the health and prosperity of the State depended on longer bed sheets. There was another who voted consistently with the administration from the day that it supported his bill providing that each crab brought into the State must have its age stamped on its shell. Unlimited Socialist support followed the passage of a bill fixing the maximum of the inheritance tax at 30 per cent. of the value of the estate. Support of the machine politicians of San Francisco was won in part through a registration act which provided that party affiliation could not be stated when one registers. One verdant Senator swallowed the administration programme whole in return for support for an anti-loan-shark bill which contained a section contrary to the State Constitution. After the close of the session the Governor called attention to the unconstitutional feature of the act and killed it with the pocket veto.

During the last six years a few salutary laws have been passed; the machine was willing to lend its support to any kind of measure as a political trade, even to remedial and beneficial legislation. But under all governments purchased legislation is doubtful legislation. In the last general election an amendment was added to the Constitution forbidding the purchase of votes with patronage in the Legislature. It now remains for the Forty-second California Legislature to repeal some of the laws and to abolish commissions that were the product of legislative barter.

Here are a few suggestions concerning laws that should be repealed or amended, laws that have proved more costly or more unjust than the old ones which they replaced. During the six years that the initiative has been a part of our State Constitution it has cost the State $2,000,000 for elections and petitions; but the cost of these elections has been more than $10,000,000 to the commercial and industrial interests of the State. It has driven out capital and has proved a bar to investments. But a single initiative measure has been adopted. The repeal of this un-American provision would be of a material benefit to the State and the only injury would be to the feelings of a few half-baked reformers who were responsible for its adoption.

Our direct primary law is a masterpiece of mediocrity; it was drafted by men too ignorant of legal phraseology to state intelligently what they sought to enact. Its different parts are conflicting and the kind of primary for which it provides is one under which it is impossible to secure a registration of the will of the majority of the members of any party. The feature which puts the making of the platform and conduct of the campaign in the hands of the candidates is in itself enough to condemn it in the minds of all honest men and women.

There is a provision in our inheritance laws which stipulates that two-thirds of each estate must be left to personal heirs. This has robbed California educational and charitable institutions of millions of dollars in bequests and has caused wealthy citizens to move from the State and establish their residence elsewhere.

Another section of our inheritance laws provides a maximum tax of 30 per cent. on inheritances. This was placed in the law as a sop to the Socialists who believe that one way to cause all property to pass into the possession of the State is to make inheritance taxes high enough to confiscate everything in two or three generations. The State has reaped no benefit from the law, as no estate has been left under conditions to which this maximum would apply, but it has done much injury, as it is quoted frequently in other States to prejudice wealthy investors against California investments.

There is an urgent necessity for a general overhauling of the laws creating State commissions and departments. The State pays out nearly a million a year for useless duplications; private industry is needlessly harassed and taxed and the only result obtained is an addition to the number of paid State functionaries.

An experimental State tax law makes a distinction between property that may be taxed for State purposes and that which shall be taxed to support city and county governments. The experiment has not worked well; it has encouraged extravagance on the part of both the State and the local governments, with the result that the per capita governmental tax paid in California is the highest in the United States. The old system was not without imperfections, but it was much better than the one by which it was replaced.

Our present laws permit too many special elections. They should be repealed and legislation enacted which would limit the number of these special elections not only in the State but in the cities and counties as well.

These are just a few suggestions by way of a beginning. The field is as vast and as fertile as our great commonwealth itself.

OUR ARMY PROBLEM.

From a military standpoint, the United States is a bankrupt.

The preparedness policy instituted by the Chamberlain bill has been a failure. It became a wreck before it fairly got into motion. The Chamberlain bill provided for an army of increased size and for a Federalized National Guard.

The most strenuous efforts on the part of the War Department have failed to secure recruits enough to raise the army to the point specified in the Chamberlain bill. This government is now reduced to the humiliation of offering a bounty of $2 a head for every recruit induced to enter the army. Postmasters are paid $5 each for every recruit they secure. Could our pride be trampled deeper?

The National Guard is flat on the ground. Its best friends candidly admit that the work of twenty years has been undone. The long service on the border crushed the military ambitions of these civilian volunteers. It is not an exaggeration to say that most of the men of the militia are now inspired by one idea: to get out of the service.

It is obvious that such a system cannot survive. It is folly to maintain an organization which cannot be called upon for military service, long or short, without danger of disrupting it.

It is worse than folly to attempt to maintain a regular establishment by petty bribery. If our military system had to fall into pieces, it is well that it should be now rather than in a time of more dire need. We still have the time and the means with which to repair our military blunders.

The plan which, as a matter of course, suggests itself as the apparent remedy is compulsory military training. This can be either conscription or an enforced service in the organized militia. There are many features of the latter plan which suggest themselves as particularly applicable to the United States. It might work a great hardship on many young men to be taken into the army for one year or two years constant service; but every young man could give one or two evenings a week and his summers for the years between eighteen and twenty without loss and with considerable gain both to himself and to the country.

This would provide not the ideal military establishment; but one that probably would prove adequate to our needs. A system not unlike this has given Switzerland an army which, although it has not stood the test of war, is considered an excellent military machine.

Accompanying this plan for a compulsory militia, it might be well to try the plan of "districting" the regular army. This has been done with success in foreign military establishments. Under this plan, each regiment of the regular army has a permanent station. For instance, there might be a Southern California regiment to be maintained in this district as part of the regular army. Local pride would induce recruiting. Families would be more willing to permit their sons to enlist, secure in the knowledge that it would not mean a real parting. Officers and enlisted men could have their homes and families, were the regiment's station a permanent fixture.

There seems to be no reason why regiments should be sent flitting around the country like migratory birds. It entails a terrific expense and renders army life unnecessarily hard.

In the German army, only one junior officer is compelled to live in the barracks. The other officers live with their families wherever they choose and go to their work every morning like other business men.

Were our regular regiments attached to permanent stations, it would simplify the co-operation between the regulars and the National Guard and increase the efficiency of the militia because the latter troops would doubtless be brigaded with regulars and under the command of West Pointers.

The argument advanced against the district plan is that the strategic points of the United States, where troops are most needed, are in many cases not centers of population. This is not good reasoning. The fact that Los Angeles might be a permanent station for a regiment of regular troops is no reason why all the recruits have to come from this city.

THE CONSUMPTION OF LIQUORS.

Advocates of prohibition deny that it goes hand in hand with bootlegging. Yet in the 1916 report of Hon. William H. Osborn, United States Commissioner of Internal Revenue, we read:

"No abatement appears in the illegal sale of liquors by 'bootleggers,' and none may be expected unless the bureau shall receive more hearty co-operation on the part of local officers in the various States and localities where prohibition laws exist."

In a previous report, Commissioner Osborn had this to say on the same subject:

"Bootlegging is principally carried on in States operating under local prohibition laws, and appears to be one of the hardest propositions that revenue officers are called upon to solve.

As the various States vote 'dry' the operations of the bootlegger grow larger."

The 1916 report of Commissioner Osborn also shows how little effect upon consumption of distilled liquors the spread of prohibition has had. While noting the big amounts of alcohol withdrawn, tax free, for export and for denaturing, the report states that there was an increase of 11,527,844 gallons in tax payment of distilled liquors in the fiscal year 1916 as compared with the previous year. This was an increase of over 9 per cent. in liquor intended for consumption.

An even greater increase is shown in the present (or 1917) fiscal year, according to monthly reports issued by the commissioner's office. For the first four months, July, August, September and October, such tax paid withdrawals of distilled liquors for consumption have been 7,395,537 gallons greater than in the corresponding four months of the previous fiscal year. This is an increase of over 18 per cent.

THE CAUSE OF FREIGHT CONGESTION.

The shortage of cars is not the fault of the railroads. It is the result of the congestion at seaboard terminals. The railroad companies cannot get rid of the freight when the cars reach their destination. The Southern Pacific Company has leased additional piers in New York in the borough of Brooklyn, at Staten Island and at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. The shortage is in ocean tonnage, not of cars or railroad facilities.

Julius Kruttschnitt of the Southern Pacific Company, says: "Throughout the country tens of thousands of little industry tracks are taxed with a business two or three times greater than they can handle, but it is all due to the lack of equipment among receivers of freight, not the shortage of facilities among the roads."

Congestion at terminals on the Sunset line has been unavoidable. Because of the war and the closing of the Panama Canal for some time, practically all the freight moving between the Pacific and Atlantic coasts has been swung back to the railroads and in such volume that congestion was unavoidable.

The situation will be relieved by the placing of more ships to travel between Atlantic and Pacific ports and the construction of additional warehouse facilities at all terminals.

The White Feathered Prize.

STREAKS OF WIT.

Political Caution.

[Washington Star:] "Are you going to make any speeches in Congress?"

"If I have to," replied Senator Sorghum. "I'm going to make 'em as early as possible, so that if opinions change out my way there'll be time for 'em to be forgotten before another election."

An Indulgent Parent.

[Pearson's:] Hobson: I understand your daughter is taking great pains with her singing.

The Poor Father: "Taking" is not the word. "Giving" is more like it.

A Slighted Timepiece.

[Longhorne:] "What time is it, Roomy? I'm invited to a swell party tonight and my watch ain't going."

"Wasn't your watch invited?"

"Yeh, but it hasn't the time."

Evidence of Precocity.

[Birmingham Age-Herald:] "Mercy!" exclaimed Mrs. Diggs. "The baby is chewing on your pocket edition of Epictetus."

"Indeed," replied Prof. Diggs with a proud and happy look. "Let the child alone. It is seldom that a mere infant shows such a pronounced taste for the classics."

A Good Salesman.

[London Tit-Bits:] The fair customer made her way to the counter. "I want to see some socks," she said.

The elderly assistant produced boxes immediately.

"For your husband, madam?" he asked, as he opened one; "or something of a better quality?"

Frequently the Case.

[Louisville Courier-Journal:] "My idea is that every straphanger have fifty cubic feet of air."

"And what are your rights if some other straphanger sticks his nose over into your air?"

Sure Enough.

[Boston Transcript:] First Girl: I can't just recall what a fugue is. Do you know?

Second Girl: Certainly! It's one of those horrible family quarrels that southerners carry on through generations.

An Innocuous Word.

[Washington Star:] "Do you think the word 'obey' ought to be dropped from the marriage ceremonial?"

"No. Let it stay. It doesn't make any more difference in the actual result than the Electoral College."

Moving Swiftly.

[Life:] "It no longer takes three generations to make a gentleman."

"Think so?"

"Yes. We are moving so much faster. An dit takes one generation to produce a parasite."

Put Energy Into It.

[Yonkers Statesman:] Bacon: You know our preacher says that the Bible is man's best friend.

Egbert: Well, why does he pound his best friend so?

THINGS ARE NOT WHAT THEY SEEM.

That dreary pessimist who goes round giving everyone the tummy ache, what a world of disappointments and sorrows he must have suffered! How bitterly cynical he is about all the little sentimental exuberances. Poor wretch, he must have had some peculiarly hard experiences!

That cheerful optimist who beams with angelic good temper—of course he never knew what sorrow was. It is all very well for him to look on the cheerful side of things and insist that everything is for the best in this best of all possible worlds. He has had all the luck.

But perhaps it is not quite like that. Your average pessimist is a humbug. He has never known real sorrow, real troubles. Real troubles bring out the best in us, one takes a pride in bearing them gallantly. Real sorrows are ennobling, we take a pride in shouldering our real burdens with courage and fortitude. One does not demean a real sorrow with cynicism and whining. Only the petty tribulations excite those cheap expressions of feeling.

So maybe the cheerful optimist has not always had all the luck. Maybe he, too, has known sorrow and its elevating influence. Maybe it is his very triumph over trouble that has made him so galla: :ly optimistic. He knows that troubles and sorrows are life's little obstacles designed for conquest. It is your brave conqueror who smiles benignly and declines to succumb to defeat. All the evidence is against the miserable old pessimist, he is a cheap fraud, a petty whiner, a human mistake.

Color Value.

[Nautilus:] Mrs. Blank had in her employ a colored maid who belonged to a "funeral club" which binds all its members to attend every funeral of a member upon receipt of notification. One afternoon Dinah's mistress saw her come down the stairs, ready to go out, dressed in a bright scarlet dress, with a large scarlet willow plume in her hat and a red parasol in her hand.

"Why, Dinah, I thought you were going to a funeral," said Mrs. Blank.

"Yes, I'se going to the funeral," said Dinah.

"But you ought not to wear red to a funeral," said Mrs. Blank. "You ought to be dressed quietly in a dark dress!" Dinah poked the toe of her shoe with her parasol, and meditated a moment, then said. "Well, Ah reckon I won't go back and change now; I'll just wear this."

Some three weeks after this Dinah approached her mistress and told her that she was going to leave, because she was going to be married. Mrs. Blank expressed her astonishment that Dinah even had an admirer. Dinah simpered and twisted the corner of her apron, and said: "No, I didn't have one until just lately! Does you remember that funeral I went to one time when I wore my red dress? Well, missus, dat shade of red done kotched de eye ob de corpse's husband."

National Editorial Service.

AN ENTERING WEDGE FOR INDIAN WRONGS.

[CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

BY REV. CARL E. GRAMMAR, D.D.
President, The Indian Rights Association.

THE Johnson Bill, favorably reported by the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs and therefore on the calendar, would give the Indians of South Dakota the right to compel the removal of their superintendents by the Secretary of the Interior. Senator Johnson proposed a bill originally to apply to the entire Indian service, but so much opposition from all parts of the country manifested itself that an amended form limited its application to South Dakota alone.

The new measure is equally revolutionary and unwise. It constitutes the entering wedge of the plan designed to remove the Indians of the United States from the control of the government's Indian Bureau and to vest apparently in the Indians themselves the very large and—when properly administered—wholesome powers at present exercised by superintendents appointed by the Indian Bureau under the provisions of the classified service. Nominally, the original bill limited the powers conferred on the nation's wards to the right of recall and the naming of three eligibles from among whom the Secretary of the Interior was required to make choice. But the inevitable effect of such a procedure would be to give control to the weakest and most characterless among the Indians who must soon be the victims of an evil, designing element among the mixed bloods and of unscrupulous whites seeking to exploit them. The consequences attendant upon the terms of the original bill were so obvious that public opinion—unmistakably expressed by Joseph H. Choate in his letter to Senator Ashurst of Arizona—gave it its quietus. The new bill, now reported back to the Senate, is the half loaf demanded by the partisans of the first measure.

It may, perhaps, be needless to say that all who have been identified with the national movement to safeguard the material possessions as well as the moral well being of the Indians are as emphatically opposed to the modified bill as they were to its forerunner. Broadly speaking, there is no reason why the Indians in South Dakota should have their interests and their welfare imperiled any more than should the Indians elsewhere. The South Dakota Indians number about 22,000 Sioux in various stages of civilization. Existing laws, which hitherto have worked satisfactorily, provide for any individual's complete emancipation from control into citizenship whenever he can demonstrate his fitness.

The plain truth is this: According the right of choosing their own superintendents, these Indians would be at the mercy of grafters and land sharks—two breeds of whites against whose depredations on the Indian the Indian's friends have been forced to wage incessant war. Rev. Sherman Coolidge, the full blood Arapahoe who formerly was president of the Society of American Indians, declares: "By such a law the very worst elements will seek to control the Indian tribes."

In the old days, when the only good Indian was supposed to be a dead Indian, these bent on the Indian's exploitation relied altogether on force, mitigated only by such double dealing as the ignorant aborigine was expected to endure. Successive "outbreaks" finally convinced the American people that the Indian could not be robbed with impunity and our people, as a nation, insisted that its wards be treated with something approaching fairness and honesty. Eternal graft promptly turned to forms of law for preservation of its opportunity for Indian spoliation.

The sole defense of the interests of all the Indians who remain wards of this government lies in protecting them from the pernicious local influences surrounding their several reservations. The superintendent is the embodiment of that protection: his appointment by the Federal government at Washington is, theoretically, the sole guarantee of his fitness for his grave responsibility.

If there is any justification for the provisions of the Johnson bill it must be sought in the implication that the 22,000 Sioux Indians in South Dakota are qualified to govern themselves. If they are qualified to manage their own affairs, no such half measure can suffice. They should be released from the control of the government and should be entrusted with complete responsibility for their future.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

RULES SUSPENDED.

I think I am a modest man—I be as modest as I can. I do not boast about my home, which has a high, majestic dome, and chromos hanging on the wall, which are Old Masters, one and all. The "Yard of Roses" you'll see there, and George upon the Delaware, and Noah landing from the Ark, and other works which hit the mark. I do not boast about my books, which you will find in shelves and nooks. The leaders of the world of thought are all among the books I've bought; I have them all, a noble host, but I don't stand around and boast. I do not boast of deeds I've done, of things achieved, of prizes won. I've always viewed with wrath and scorn the man who thus would toot his horn, for if in aught he may excel, the world will know it very well. I try to be, from day to day, an unassuming, modest jay; but when I talk about my car, and how she hustles, near and far, and climbs the steepest hills on high, and makes the dust and gravel fly, no stranger, bearing me, would think that I'm a meek and humble sink.

WALT MASON.

Early Hardships.

[Louisville Courier-Journal:] "Tell me of your early educational hardships."

"Well, I lived seven blocks from a Carnegie library and we had no automobile."

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LOTS OF 'EM.

Plenty of desirable people of good financial standing," declares [the] official of a National League [club] "would be willing to invest [money] in Brooklyn or Pittsburgh if [the] coast were entirely clear." [But] but they prefer to await developments of two possible crises—[the] strike threat of the players for [better] contract rights and the [building] the Baltimore Federals [of] organized baseball. Both [of] points should be cleared up [definitely] within the next month or [two] weeks—certainly before the [baseball] meetings. If organized baseball wins, as it is almost sure [to], and the owners do not take [advantage] of the fact to raise prices, [there] not be at all surprised to [see] Messrs. Ebbets and Dreyfuss [buy] from the game. I'd risk a hat [on] a transfer of the Brooklyn [franchise] will be effected before the [opening] of the next season."

A PURCHASER.

O. H. Wathen, president of the Louisville club of the American Association, would purchase the St. Louis National League held [by]

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And incense of the rising [day]
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The summer clouds [are white] fleece,
And floating [softly] seem
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The calm and [morning] ours.
Our life, our [hope] Of silver [and] bowers.

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Back East, when a thing was a failure, it was usually described as being "run into the ground." If Second-street tunnel is "run into the ground" it will be a success. Everything is different out here.

Dixie highway ceremonies, mark- ing the States of Indiana and Illi- nois, have just been held. Recall- ing the fact that The Times was among the pioneers in the trans- continental road that was soon to bridge the continent.

There were high tides all along the California coast as a result of the storm, with none of the tragic results that followed the high tides on the coast of Lincolnshire, im- mortalized by Jean Ingelow. The ringer to ring out The Brides of Enderby.

With the assurance that the House will be controlled by the In- dependents, the chances are similar President Wilson being able to put any of his purely political legisla- tion through that body. Even Champ Clark may not be able to read the title clear.

One advantage about running a movie show is that no salaries are paid the company after the picture is made, and there are no hotel or traveling expenses. A man can carry his show under his arm. There is nothing to prevent him from get- ting out of a back window to avoid paying a fees bill.

After Gov. Johnson joins the ex-Con- gressmen in Washington, Lieut.-Gov. W. D. Stephens not only holds his present office, but that of Governor as well, with the salary of the chief execu- tive, $10,000 a year. But this has been an unusually chilly winter for the mooser will assist in keeping the wolf from the rear kitchen door.

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[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
W YORK BUREAU OF THE
, Dec. 27.—Before the open- of the 1917 season three of the al League clubs may have ed ownership. It has been d from a very reliable source negotiations for the Dodgers, s and Cardinals have gone much farther than the public been allowed to know.

THE DODGERS.

Charles H. Ebbets maintains that no definite offer has been made for his handsome stadium by the champion club of the National League, and, furthermore, that he has not receded one jot or tittle from the original valuation which he has placed upon it. More- over he appeared more desirous of getting out of baseball than his present attitude would indicate, and that influence close to the inside affairs that no less than three syndicates are after the Robins.

These rival syndicates, James Dreyfuss, former president of the Pirates, and his associates in that city are ready at any time to get down to straight business whenever Mr. Ebbets cares.

Barney Dreyfuss, too, has set a definite valuation on his Pitts- burgh property. This, like the Ebbets estate of Flatbush, is situated in that part of the city where real es- tate values have increased by leaps and bounds. It organized baseball's immediate future were guaranteed, it is said, either Ebbets or Dreyfuss could secure a fancy price, even if they did not realize their original figures.

LOTS OF 'EM.

"Plenty of desirable people of good financial standing," declares an official of a National League club, "would be willing to invest either in Brooklyn or Pittsburgh if the deals were entirely clear.

"But they prefer to await de- velopments of two possible crises— the strike threat of the players for better contract rights and the war of the Baltimore Federals on organized baseball. Both of these points should be cleared up definitely within the next month or two—certainly before the annual meetings. If organized ball wins, as it is almost sure to, and the owners do not take advantage of the fact to raise prices, I shall not be at all surprised to see Ebbets and Dreyfuss re-enter the game. I'd risk a hat on the transfer of the Brooklyn club will be effected before the end of the next season."

A PURCHASER.

H. Wathen, president of the Louisville club of the American Association, would pur- chase the St. Louis National League club from Mrs. Helen Hathaway Britton if this lady magnate were inclined to sell at reasonable terms. Mrs. Britton, however, has so far refused to listen to reason. It is said the seven male club presidents of the National League have urged her to dispose of the Cardinals or institute a more liberal policy toward rebuilding for mutual benefit.

Mr. Wathen, it is understood, also has sounded out Barney Dreyfuss on the Pittsburgh franchise. He prefers St. Louis to Smokeville as a base of major-league operations, however, because it is nearer his home and business. Wathen is a wealthy distiller of Louisville, an old-fashioned magnate who loves the game for sport's sake and who gets more pleasure out of the suc- cess of the club than from the financial returns.

Wathen's Louisville pennant win- ner is said to have been an expen- sive luxury, but still he is one of the most enthusiastic promoters to be met with anywhere. He believes Bill Clymer, who led Louisville to victory, the last word in general- ship. For Clymer's sake as much as for the sport of the thing, O. H. Wathen is now gunning for a major- league franchise.

M'FARLAND WILL TRY COME-BACK.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Packy McFarland is ready to do one more come-back. The boxing game is rustling so much easy money these days that Packy has decided to take a few weeks off to collect $15,000 for going ten rounds.

Packy's antagonist will be Ted Kid Lewis, one of the welterweight contenders, and the bout will be for the welterweight championship. The boxers are waiting until boxing is legalized in the State of Illinois, when they will initiate the sport on the first night.

McFarland has not boxed since he and Mike Gibbons staged the famous $32,500 fiasco at Brighton Beach. Packy announced after that session that he was through with the game forever. But the unprecedented boom that has come into pugilism since Les Darcy beat the recruiting sergeant in his long race has roused the business instincts in Packy. There is too much easy money about for him to stay out of it.

If the boxing bill should fail to pass in Illinois the bout will be staged in Madison Square Garden, New York.

N.C.A.A. EXECUTIVES MEET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The annual meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Collegiate Athletic Association was held here tonight. The purpose of the meeting was to prepare plans for the annual convention, which will be held tomorrow.

They are here—Penn and Oregon.

The lonely figure in the center putting on his shoe is Heine Miller, captain- elect of the Pennsylvania varsity and rated as one of the greatest ends in America. Above, the Penn squad is shown running through a dumm y scrimmage on the Hotel Raymond grounds, while below the heavy Oregon backs are seen in action at Tournament Park. From left to right, t hey are Shy Huntington, Johnny Parsons, Hollie Huntington and "Scotty" Montieth. Let the play have on.

East.

PENN WORKS ON GOLF COURSE.

NO TIME WASTED IN GETTING INTO THEIR SUITS.

Punting Practice, Falling on the Ball, Running Signals, Shadow Scrimmage and Other General Fundamental Workout for Easterners—Berry a Real Punter.

The Pennsylvania football squad and coaching staff arrived in Pasadena yesterday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock and were taken immediately to the Hotel Raymond, where they will stay until after the New Year's battle.

Coach Folwell lost no time in getting his twenty-two players into suits and in half an hour's time they were down on the golf course running through signals.

The practice started with Howard Berry, all-American full-back and brilliant star of the easterners, punting. Half of the other players ran down on the punts, the others caught them. Berry is a past master at the art of booting. His spirals were long and high. In fact, they went so high that Coach Folwell had to keep shouting at his men to keep them from overrunning them. Berry's kicks must have averaged fifty yards, too.

This was followed by the players running around to warm up and falling on the ball. It was here that Heinie Miller, all-American end and captain-elect, first caught the gaze of the gathered fans. The neatness with which he curled around a bouncing ball was a delight to sore eyes.

A short signal drill followed in which Berry was given the ball often and the forward pass used more frequently.

The second team then came pranceing down the field and the two engaged in a short scrimmage without tackling, which resembles very closely a play without words. The teams went through all the motions without actually doing anything. The varsity charged through the line as if they meant to eat the man with the ball and then didn't. Another punting workout for Berry followed and then the run up the hill to the hotel.

The following Pennsylvania men are in the squad: Coach Bob Folwell, Senator-elect W. M. Wharton, Byron Dickson, Ford, Capt. Neil Mathews, Henry J. Miller, Glen Urquhart, Al Crane, Ray Young, Lew Little, John Titzel, Walter Berg, Bill Robinson, Jimmy Bryant, Hobey Light, Howard Berry, Ben Derr, Bill Quigley, Graves Williams, Manny Wickman, Alex Wray, Lud Wray and J. Weiser.

West.

OREGON WORKS BEHIND GATES.

NOBODY GETS TO SEE BEZDEK COACH TEAM.

Johnny Beckett and Shy Huntington do Considerable Booting with the Honors in Favor of Beckett—Bill Hayward Says that Team is in Best of Condition.

The Oregon football squad arrived from Eugene yesterday morning on the Lark, and were shunted onto a side track and pulled out to Pasadena. There were twenty-five in the party.

Coach Bezdek ordered an early dinner, and it was served for them at the Hotel Maryland at 11:30 o'clock. The squad was out at Tournament Park, and in suits by 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

At least half an hour was spent in taking their pictures, while the impatient coach chafed at the bit, so to speak. While the pictures were being taken, Little Johnny Beckett, the captain, tried out his toe. He was averaging close to fifty yards. Shy Huntington, the star of the Oregon team, was finding some trouble in handling the ball, and Bezdek threatened to oust him on the spot.

Shy Huntington then tried his toe at place kicking. At first he was wild and the ball went every which way. Later he became more accurate.

Coach Bezdek refused to allow anybody to watch the Oregon team practice. He led the squad around behind the bleachers onto the dirt and gave orders for the park to be cleared.

"We didn't come here to show how we practice. We came to play football New Year's," he said.

The last any spectator saw of the Oregon men they were running wildly around in a circle trying to keep warm until the field was cleared.

The practice was longer than Penn's. Bezdek says that there will be few scrimmages and much signal practice.

Bill Hayward, the trainer, reported the players to be in excellent condition, and Coach Bezdek said "their condition was only fair."

The Oregon squad will stay at the Hotel Maryland while in Pasadena. That was where Washington State lived while here.

The following men came south from Oregon as members of the Pacific Coast champion squad: Coach Hugo Bezdek, Trainer Bill Hayward, Manager Tiffany, Capt. Beckett, Parsons, Shy Huntington, Hollis Huntington, Monteith, Tegart, Bartlett, Spellman, Risley, Snyder, Mitchell, Cook, Dudley, Juerck, Johns, Skelton, Brown, Nelson, Williams and Jensen.

PENN AND OREGON LOOK EXCEEDINGLY "DIFFERENT"

BY HOWARD ANGUS.

THEY are here—Pennsylvania and Oregon, the two football juggernauts which are to crash together at Pasadena New Year's Day in the East vs. West battle. They arrived yesterday, within a few hours of each other, and both worked out at the same time.

DIFFERENT.

The two teams are just as different as it is possible for them to be, just as different as East is from West and as Brown was from Washington State last year.

The Oregon team arrived in the morning, led by a taciturn coach who ought to be called the "Wolf." Coach Hugo Bezdek, stocky and nervous, impatiently rushed his men out to Pasadena and then nurried them into secret practice. Like the "Wolf," he shunned strangers and looked ready to bite when cornered. From now until New Year's Day the shroud of mystery is thrown over Oregon. Oregon was about as cheering as a northern blizzard.

HOT STUFF.

Penn arrived in the afternoon accompanied by a United States Senator as assistant coach. Both Head Coach Bob Folwell and Senator C. M. Wharton had nothing to conceal. They were glad to be here and glad to meet everybody. They called a practice in the open so everybody could see. They showed enough to convince everybody that they were there. The glamous of the effete East was about them, and they lived up to the glamour. They acted as if they were bred to the royal purple.

There is as big a difference between the players themselves as between the coaches. The Oregon players are men, hardened, weather-beaten and seasoned. The Penn athletes have still a touch of the boy about them. They are just as large as Oregon, just as muscular, but they do not look as mature.

TOUGH GUYS.

Oregon, just like Washington State, last year, look like men who have lived in logging camps up in the mountains and roughed it on farms. They are hard, sinewy, thoroughly developed.

About the Penn players there is the unmistakable city-bred touch. When one looks at them he thinks of automobiles, yachts, camping

(Continued on Second Page.)

FLIVVER RUNS DOWN COYOTE.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WINONA, (Kan.) Dec. 27.—Old Whitetail has run his last race. After baffling the speediest hounds for five years, the most celebrated Kansas coyote met his match near Winona in a combination of racing car, reckless drivers and a pack of Russian wolf hounds and Scotch deerhounds. Fifty-seven other coyotes have fallen victim the same way this fall, but there was no such rejoicing as over Whitetail. A renegade greyhound of notable size and ferocity is supposed to have been Whitetail's father.

Fred Ludlow, B. W. Brooke and Arthur Simpson brought about Whitetail's downfall. A tip from a rancher sent them scurrying for Brooke's flivver. Four dogs, the best of the twenty-odd famed Winona hounds, were taken in the car.

"There he goes." It was a dead three miles, the motor car going full speed across the range. The car was slowed down and the dogs released a quarter of a mile behind Whitetail. The coyote saw the dogs and ran for his life but the three-mile race with the car had told on him and the dogs closed on him.

Whitetail weighed twenty-six pounds.

GANZEL MAY BUY KANSAS CITY TEAM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—John Ganzel, recently appointed manager of the Kansas City club of the American Association, has opened negotiations for the purchase of the club, Thomas J. Hickey, president of the association, announced here today. Ganzel has offered George Tebeau, owner of the franchise, $175,000, it is understood.

CANADIANS GET A FINE GOLF COURSE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—One of the finest golf courses in the country, with initial expenditures amounting to more than a million dollars, is to be laid out on 1400 acres of ground near Somerville, N. J., for the benefit of wealthy Canadians residing in New York and Philadelphia, it was announced here today.

HELFRICH A BEAVER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 27.—Thomas Helfrich, a right-handed pitcher last year with the Harrisburg team of the New York State League, has been signed with Portland, according to announcement by Manager Walter McCredie tonight. Helfrich won 27 and lost 12 games last season.

Wrestlers.

WRANGLING ON OVER REFEREE.

Strangler and Santell in Windy Warfare.

Promoter Refuses to Get Outside Man.

Says Local Talent Quite Good Enough.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—No referee was named today for the Strangler Lewis-Ad Santell match of next Tuesday night and at the best of it will not be until some hour late tomorrow afternoon before the third on the mat is signed, sealed and delivered.

NOT SO MANY.

Choices, apparently, have narrowed down, by process of elimination, and there are fewer in the race than twenty-four hours ago. Promoter Frank Schuler declared himself against importing a man to handle the wrestlers, stating that he saw no reason why it should be impossible to pick an expert in this section.

The choices, therefore, at present writing are Al Williams, wrestling instructor at the Olympic Club, and Eugene Van Court of Oakland; with I. W. Kreling as an outside possibility.

Santell and Promoter Schuler, while not holding out for Kreling, consider him a competent man and the chap who ought to be selected. Billy Sandow, spokesman for Lewis, takes the view that Kreling might be prejudiced.

COMPETENT.

"I grant you that he is a competent man," said Sandow, "but this is an important match to us and we want to be sure where we stand. Lewis talked about Kreling's work in the ring, and, all things considered, we feel that some one else ought to be selected. At any rate we would feel easier in mind. I have talked the matter over with Lewis and he agrees with me on that point."

Sandow suggested Williams, and Santell replied that, while he could not, claim any difference with the O. C. instructor, he had a feeling deep down in his mind that Williams was none too friendly toward him.

Both Sandow and Santell admitted they hadn't gone to the bother of interviewing possible candidates for the job as to their views on how points should be scored. Also they promised to have some conferences tomorrow morning, some more early tomorrow afternoon and they try to pick the principal party at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

THE PRIZE.

The kernel in the nut is a match with Joe Stecher, Schuler, while not having closed with Stecher to make the trip to the Pacific Coast, has been receiving satisfactory correspondence. Santell naturally has been suggested as an opponent for the Dodge City wonder, but Lewis feels that with a decisive win he will place himself in a position where Stecher could not afford to give him the overlook.

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MOVIE HORSE GREAT DIVER.

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And Lands Flat in Small Tank of Water.

And His Lineage is Traced to the Arab.

A game little horse named Jasper has become one of the great stars of motion pictures. During the last few months, Jasper has been shown jumping over cliffs, falling from high bridges into the water. This week, Jasper appears in a Keystone comedy at Clune's Broadway Theater, where—with a rider on his back—he jumps from the roof of a building into a swimming tank.

SOME DIVE.

In the play, a bandit has escaped after robbing the people in a dance hall. Leaping over tables and chairs and gambling layouts, Jasper carries his rider up a long flight of stairs at a break-neck pace and eludes the pursuers by going head first down from the roof. It is a wonderful leap of about thirty feet. Leaving the jump out of the question, his race up the stairs considerably dims the fame of Gen. Israel Putnam's famous escape from the British down a flight of stairs on horseback.

There have been a great many inquiries about Jasper and considerable surprise has been expressed to find that Jasper is a meek and lowly broncho. They expected to find so courageous a heart in a thoroughbred.

JUST A BRONK.

It would, however, be more surprising to find that Jasper were anything else except a broncho. A mustang comes legitimately by his fighting heart. He is a direct descendant of the Arab war horses of old.

These horses were raised for battle. Their lineage dates way back before Christ. So carefully were these pedigrees cherished that when an Arab charger was captured his master or his master's widow always sent to the victor the pedigree of the captured steed.

THE HISTORY.

Most of the present Arab stock is supposed to be descended from a famous war mare, who, having traveled many days with a war party without water, finally brought her master to an oasis. As she was stooping to her first drink, the half-famished mare heard the bugle sounding the charge. Leaving the water untouched, the mare rushed back into the fight.

These Arab horses were taken into Spain by the Moors and their descendants bore the Spanish knights who came with Cortez to the conquest of Mexico.

From the stray horses who escaped to wander over the plains came the American mustang.

During this war in Europe, most of the war horses have been American broncos.

Jasper is worthy of his fighting ancestry.

TIA JUANA RESULTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 27.—Today's Tia Juana results:

First race, six furlongs, selling, purse $400: Kid Nelson, 112 (Gross,) first; Caro Nome, 112 (Morys,) second; Barka, 108 (O'Brien,) third. Time, 1:18 3-5.

Second race, six furlongs, selling, purse $400: King Chilton, 109 (Pauley,) first; Delaney, 112 (La Belle,) second; Russ Sand, 112 (Treuler,) third. Time, 1:19 2-5.

Third race, six furlongs, selling purse, $400: Hazel C, 107 (Scheer er,) first; Frog Eye, 112 (O'Brien,) second; Zinkand, 112 (Gross,) third. Time, 1:20.

Fourth race, one mile, handicap, purse $400: Say, 105 (Gross,) first; Vesta, 90 (Moore,) second; Executor, 103 (Pickens,) third. Time, 1:46 3-5.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs, selling, purse $400: Broncho Billy, 106 (Riddle,) first; Geraldame, 104 (Pickens,) second; Judge Sanderson, 108 (Treuler,) third. Time, 1:12.

Sixth race, one mile, selling, purse $400: Sepor Stalwart, 98 (Scheerer,) first; Landslide, 101 (Casey,) second; Duke of Shelby, 108 (Palmer,) third. Time, 1:47 3-5.

NEW ORLEANS TO SEE BANGTAILS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—The City Commission Council yesterday reported favorably the ordinance under which racing will be conducted at the fair grounds race track by the Business Men's Racing Association, starting January 1 and continuing for fourteen days. Under this the betting system used last year will be allowed.

Great preparations have been made for the meeting. There are over 700 horses already here. The New Year's handicap, one mile and one-sixteenth, will be the feature of the opening day, and such horses as the imported Courtly Lass and Yo m poma, Thornhill, Leochares, Britzalmah, Grumpy, Typhoon, Haubert and eleven others. The track is a sea of mud from recent rains, but is expected to dry out for the start of the meeting.

AMATEUR GUNNERS CAN GET WEAPONS.

Members of the Seven Hills Rifle and Revolver Club, and there are over 200 of them, can get their guns, ammunition and general equipment direct from the State of California, thanks to arrangements just completed by W. E. Palmer, the secretary. Checks payable to Walter A. Wood, treasurer, for $4.56, presented at the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank, will result in the quick delivery of a gun from the State.

FRENCH-ARGENTINE TREATY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 27, 4:30 p.m.—A decree issued today makes effective the arbitration treaty between France and the Argentine Republic, which was ratified at Buenos Aires, October 4.

Mr. Wad May Commute But He's Not Mute About It. . . . . . By GA

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Les Darcy,

The Australian fighter who knocks 'em dead. Those large things at the south end of the photograph are the weapons with which he knocks 'em.

Just a Kid.

DARCY BEWILDERED BY THE BIG CITY.

AUSTRALIAN CAN'T GET USED TO NEW YORK.

No Arrangements Made so Far for His Training Quarters or for a Bout—He Intends to Work Out Where Everybody Can Get a Chance to Look Him Over.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Les Darcy is still bewildered and scarcely knows where to start as he seeks to give his impressions of New York.

"It's all wonderful," he said tonight; "more wonderful than I ever imagined. From the time I woke up on the Cushing that morning down the bay and saw the great buildings for the first time I have experienced one surprise after another. You see, I was born and brought up in a small town, East Maitland, and the only cities I had ever seen before coming to this country were our own—Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane. Is it any wonder that I am about overcome with the greatness of New York?"

Darcy has not selected his training quarters as yet, but he is considering a number of them, and may decide to go to Billy Grupp's gymnasium in Harlem. It is his intention to train in a spot which will be easily accessible to all those who wish to see him work out.

The Australian had a welcome visitor today in the person of the Rev. Father Malloy, a New Zealand priest who has seen service for the past two years as a chaplain with the British armies in the Dardanelles and in France. Father Malloy had never met Darcy, but had seen him fight frequently in the Stadium at Rushcutter's Bay, near Sydney, and dropped in to wish him luck in his bouts in this country.

George Chip, whom Darcy knocked out in his last fight in Australia, arrived in town today and claimed the right to meet his conqueror in his first bout on American soil. Like everybody else who has seen Darcy fight, Chip admits that he is a bear.

MINOR LEAGUERS TO GET TOGETHER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Club owners of the three class AA leagues—the International, Pacific Coast and American Association—will meet jointly in Cincinnati, January 2, in the interests of problems to be placed before the National Baseball Commission on that date.

Abolition of the draft rule in the class AA organizations will be one of the issues to be considered by the commission, Thomas J. Hickey, president of the American Association, announced here today.

Attention, Classified Advertisers.

The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue.

Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit real estate propositions, business chances, stocks, bonds, automobiles, buggies, live stock, household furniture, furnished rooms, flats, apartments, board and other business ventures at a minimum cost.

TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS

BASEBALL BRIEFS.

T. J. Darmody will make his first payment on the purchase of the Vernon club today. He stated that Arthur Fisk and Walter Jackson will be associated with him in the deal, as originally stated, regardless of reports to the contrary.

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Yesterday and the day before, Darmody and Fisk were up to their necks in contracts and other papers pertaining to the club, and because of this had little time to devote to the managerial situation. Cravath, Stovall and Patterson are still lined up at the barrier, and the fans are at liberty to pick their favorite and write their own ticket.

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Darmody is known to favor a playing manager, all else being equal, while Fisk is understood to favor a change of some sort. Patterson still is a factor, with his showing last season as his chief claim to consideration.

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Art Griggs paid the new Vernon headquarters a lengthy visit yesterday. Art was there for the purpose of ascertaining his present status, and his prospects for being with the club next season. Darmody has not decided these questions. Art is reasonably sure of a good job here or elsewhere, having demonstrated his ability in the fast minors and majors.

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Because Barney Oldfield has made so many blunders as press agent of the Los Angeles club, President Powers has asked for waivers on him. In case these are secured he expects to trade him to Tom Darmody for Gene Doyle, former press agent of the Vernon team. Barney is peeved to think that his efforts have not been appreciated, and may compromise by accepting an invitation from Dave Joyce to pass New Year's in Chicago to be followed by a side trip to New York.

BOWLING NOTES.

The Security Trust and Savings Bank trio of ten-pin cracks were the big noise in the opening games, holiday week, in the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Bowling League tournament now going on at the Majestic alleys.

Starting early in the postponed game from last week the bankers bowled down 2804 pins, which is not only the season record, but the league high mark. The R. Jevne Company were the victims. It is needless to say that they lost the series.

The groups, feeling their defeat, changed their line-up and took on the Baseball team, and walloped them the old game. Vice-President W. E. Bishop bowled over 230 in both of the second games, which ties Harry Carroll, of the Broadway Department Store team for second high game.

On the adjoining alleys Capt. "Baron" Kloss and his brave, able assistant, Billy Reynolds, defeated the E. W. Reynolds Company, by taking the odd pins. Gross, Meador and Stein had the high average for the night's play in the order named. The score:

ROSENTHAL SHOE COMPANY.

	1	2	3	4	5	Tri.	Av.
Dean	172	177	141	195	170	855	171
Fleishman	156	167	164	165	179	831	166
Mumma	166	163	150	147	137	763	152
Totals	504	491	407	507	486	2,375	

R. JEVNE CO.

Bishop	151	208	178	174	178	889	177
Mauck	156	182	175	141	170	824	164
Sloss	164	140	147	157	170	778	155
Totals	471	529	500	501	509	2,504	

E. W. REYNOLDS COMPANY.

Meador	174	181	171	181	214	921	184
Brown	156	161	141	151	147	756	151
Reynolds	136	136	180	102	154	708	141
Totals	467	496	492	434	515	2,349	

WETHERBY-KAYSER SHOE COMPANY.

Stults	214	198	173	190	177	951	190
Adams	166	211	168	199	183	926	178
Gillan	215	180	238	172	164	967	193
Totals	595	589	580	550	525	2,806	

R. JEVNE CO.

Sloss	172	174	159	152	171	800	160
Mauck	151	178	122	142	157	750	150
Bishop	160	154	155	140	185	812	162
Totals	483	506	436	434	474	2,362	

Branch Offices.

For the convenience of advertisers and readers The Times has established an additional Branch Office at 725-26 South Hill street—open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and on Saturday from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. The Times Branch Office, 619 South Spring street, will, as usual, be open daily from 7:45 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Sunday, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.

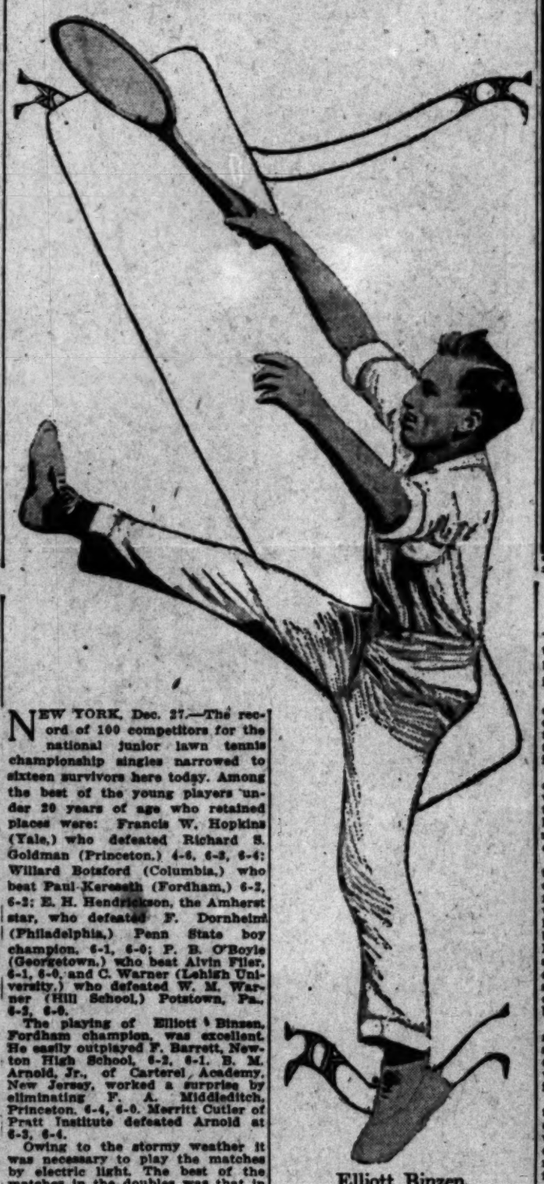
WILLIE HOPPE STILL A BEAR.

Willie Hoppe waved his magic wand (vulgarly known as a cue) over the table for the better part of an hour at the Title Insurance billiard parlors yesterday afternoon, and at the conclusion of the exhibition those present were of the opinion that anything which old man Hoppe's boy doesn't know about billiards has not yet appeared in the encyclopedia of knowledge. Hoppe displayed his well-known skill in two departments of the cue game. At 18.2 balkline he defeated young Jake Schaefer, 250 to 27, and then topped off his performance by defeating Chick Wright 15 to 6, in three cushions, in eight-een innings. In this match the men played mainly a "safety-first game," and as a rule each left his opponent an impossible position. Later Wright demonstrated to the crowd the technical features of Hoppe's system, while Charley Peterson, champion fancy shot of the world, entertained the crowd with a demonstration of skill that was uncanny.

Real Class Shown.

YOUNGSTERS BATTLE FOR INDOOR TENNIS TITLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]



Elliott Binzen,

Who is starring in the junior indoor tennis play at New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The record of 100 competitors for the national junior lawn tennis championship singles narrowed to sixteen survivors here today. Among the best of the young players under 20 years of age who retained places were: Francis W. Hopkins (Yale,) who defeated Richard S. Goldman (Princeton,) 4-6, 6-2, 6-4; Willard Botsford (Columbia,) who beat Paul Keresath (Fordham,) 6-2, 6-2; E. H. Hendrickson, the Amherst star, who defeated F. Dornheim (Philadelphia,) Penn State boy champion, 6-1, 6-0; P. B. O'Boyle (Georgetown,) who beat Alvin Filer, 6-1, 6-0, and C. Warner (Lehigh University,) who defeated W. M. Warner (Hill School,) Potstown, Pa., 6-2, 6-0.

The playing of Elliott & Binzen, Fordham champion, was excellent. He easily outplayed F. Barrett, Newton High School, 6-2, 6-1. B. M. Arnold, Jr., of Carteret Academy, New Jersey, worked a surprise by eliminating F. A. Middleditch, Princeton, 6-4, 6-0. Merritt Cutler of Pratt Institute defeated Arnold at 6-2, 6-4.

Owing to the stormy weather it was necessary to play the matches by electric light. The best of the matches in the doubles was that in which the Hopkins brothers of Yale defeated H. D. Keresey and O'Boyle (Georgetown,) 6-4, 6-4.

WOLF PROMISES NEW SEAL TEAM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Harry Wolverton, out from the mountain fastness of Madera county, where he was snowbound for four days, and into San Francisco on a flying trip, promises some important changes when the Seals face the barrier this coming spring.

Here are some of the things that Wolverton is promising by way of a belated Christmas gift to the baseball followers of San Francisco:

One new first baseman.

One brand-new first-string catcher.

Two other new faces yet to be announced.

Perhaps another pitcher of big league caliber.

A couple of trades that will permit the club to get down to the limit.

So far as mentioning names and telling us just what's what, Wolverton is an absolute blank.

"Our team is getting shaped up nicely," he said. "I am sorry I can't mention any names, but I can promise you there will be a new first baseman, another catcher and at least two other faces. It is possible I will be able to announce some trades before I leave on the trip back to the mountains, but I hardly think so.

"Now, the acquisition of new men for the places I have named doesn't necessarily mean the old players will be missing. For instance, Bill Speas will report to the club in the spring, and so will Sepulveda and Clarence Brooks.

"Our pitching staff looks good to me. There will be Ralph Stroud, Spider Baum, Erickson, who will be a great help if he can get over his wildness; Red Oldham, who had improved in the fall; Dougherty, the left-hander we drafted from the New York State League; Brown, Steen and Kallio, from whom to pick a staff.

"My reports have it that Dougherty is already big league timber. Kallio, I think, was all pitched out when he joined the team and you didn't see his curve.

"Baum will spring a surprise on the fans. Charlie has picked up twelve pounds this winter, and never before has he gained weight in the winter months. He has been pitching in leisurely fashion twice a week ever since we have been in the mountains, as he thinks that it will aid him in getting into shape faster in the spring.

"Downs and Corhan look like fixtures around the keystone sack. At third we can use Maisel, or for that matter he will be available for the outfield. Maisel is a .300 hitter and ought to help the team on the aggressive.

"Our outfielders at present include Fitzgerald, Schaller and Calvo."

Wolverton refused to confirm the report that Del Baker will be first-string catcher for the Seals, having been turned over by the Detroit club, as the story goes. Naturally but two catchers will be used through the season. Whether it will be Brooks or Sepulveda to go will likely be up to the training season.

A Beautiful Art Calendar Fr

The Times has arranged to tribute free with its issue of D ber 31st, the handsomest ca brought out for 1917. It is a arate sheet, 8¼x15 inches, of fine heavy white paper. This art Calendar in every sense word and designed not so m the office as for the library, l or den.

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Penn and Oregon.

(Continued from First Page.)

trips, hunting parties and the like, but never of following plows or felling trees.

It is probably in reality just the other way round. The Oregon players may all come from Portland and the Penn players off the farms of the Dakotas. But they don't look it.

It was impossible to get any kind of a line on the two teams. Oregon went immediately into secret practice and refused to do anything but kick in public. The whole impression was that of huskiness and that everybody was about the same size.

Penn practiced. Bob Folwell made the players run through signals and dummy scrimmage. They looked fast, Berry especially, and moved with machine-like precision. They handled the ball as if it were a baseball and shot all kinds of passes. Forward passes and Berry was the attack that Folwell showed yesterday. The all-American full-back seemed to be mixed up in every play, carrying, throwing or kicking the ball.

As far as condition goes, both squads seemed to be in excellent shape. "We have been reported as over-confident," said Ford, "but we're not and we have been working. The men are in fine shape."

Coach Bezdek would only say that the Oregon boys were in fair condition, but Trainer Bill Hayward vouched for their health. In spite of many remarks which may be made to the contrary, both look forward to victory. Penn does not expect to lose.

Oregon came south to win, although Bezdek insists his varsity is much the inferior. "I've a fair team," he said, "but not nearly as good as Penn."

"How do you know?" somebody asked. "You haven't seen Penn."

"Didn't Mahan and Andy Smith say we were going to be beaten?" he came back. "Didn't Dobie say we were going to lose? Doesn't even Pipal at the Aggies predict our defeat? Did you ever hear anybody say we were going to win?"

DILLON AND DARCY SIGN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 27.—Jack Dillon, local light heavyweight fighter, today accepted an offer to meet Les Darcy, the Australian champion, before a Brooklyn (N. Y.) sporting club, according to an announcement made by Dillon's manager. The purse to be given was not announced, and the date of the fight has not been set, it was said.

Attention, Classified Advertisers.

The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue.

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Industrials were in fair demand, United States Steel making a gross advance of 1¾, with 2 to 4 points in others of the same class. Equipments and metals also averaged 1 to 2 points, with sugars, papers and the usual less representative specialties. Rubbers were favorably influenced by the increase in the dividend on International Paper preferred.

Union Pacific was first among the important transportation systems to submit November returns, with net earnings showing a gain of almost $500,000.

Total sales of stocks aggregated 1,000,000 shares.

There was a further shading of international bonds, the Anglo-French 5's and Paris 6's being distinctly heavy. Total sales, par value $3,345,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, December 27, 1916... $ 3,410,000
Same day of week last year..... 2,650,000
Total, January 1 to date..... 1,166,250,000

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations in New York today:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Alaska		11¾	11¾	11¾
Atlantic Coast Line				
Allis Chalmers	2,200	34½	33¾	34
Allis Chalmers pfd				
Am. Agr. Chemical	200	67	67	67
Am. Agr. Chem. pfd	100	107	107	107
Am. Beet Sugar	2,100	57¾	56¾	57¾
Am. Car & Fdy.	100	74	74	74
Am. Can Co.	2,000	57¾	56¾	57¾
Am. Can Co. pfd				
Am. Tob. Prod.	200	85	85	85
Am. Tob. Prod. pfd				
Am. Smelting	4,000	97¾	96¾	97¾
Am. Steel Foundries				
Am. Sugar	100	118	118	118
Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	4,000	120¾	120¾	120¾
Am. Woolen				
Anaconda	2,000	39¾	39¾	39¾
Atchison	1,000	101¾	101¾	101¾
Atchison pfd				
Baldwin Loco.	1,000	72¾	72¾	72¾
Baltimore & Ohio	1,000	81¾	81¾	81¾
Bethlehem Steel	1,000	75¾	75¾	75¾
Bethlehem Steel pfd				
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	1,000	91¾	91¾	91¾
Canadian Pacific	1,000	175¾	175¾	175¾
Central Leather	1,000	97¾	97¾	97¾
Central Leather pfd				
Chesapeake & Ohio	1,000	68¾	68¾	68¾
Chicago & Alton				
Chicago & Alton pfd				
Chicago Great Western				
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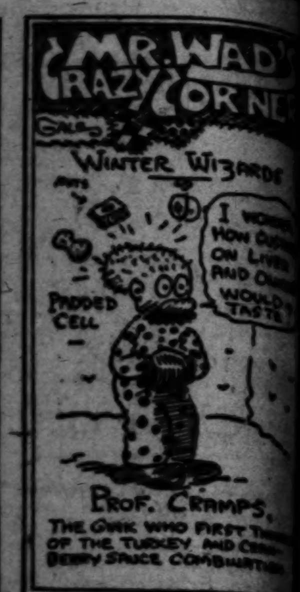

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Business Page: Money, Stocks and Bonds—Grain—Mines—Financial Markets Abroad.

Stocks and Bonds.

TRADING IS VARIED; TONE MORE UNIFORM.

European Conditions Seem to Exert Little Direct Influence on New York Exchange Activities, but Mexican Affairs Contribute to Reactionary Tendencies of Issues Bound up in Destinies of Sister Republic.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, December 27, 1916...	$ 3,410,000
Same day of week last year...	5,026,000
From January 3 to date...	1,164,282,000
Same period in 1915...	967,216,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, December 27, 1916	827,319 shares
Same day of week last year	590,100 shares
From January 3 to date	226,780,450 shares
Same period in 1915	174,270,736 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Foreign exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4.75 7-16	4.76 1-16
Paris	5.84⅞	5.83⅝
Berlin	72.37½	73.00
Austria	11.90	12.00
Hongkong	57.50	57.60
Peking	91.50	91.12½
Shanghai	86.00	86.12½
Holland	40.75	40.81¼
Bombay	[illegible]	32.37½
Calcutta	[illegible]	32.37½
Italy	6.80⅞	6.80
Kobe	50.75	50.87½
Yokohama	50.75	50.87½
Manila	50.12½	50.25
Russia	30.30	30.40
Copenhagen	27.10	27.20
Stockholm	29.45	29.55
Christiania	27.85	27.95

MERCANTILE PAPER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Mercantile paper, 4@4½. Sterling, sixty-day bills, 4.71½; commercial, sixty-day bills on banks, 4.71¼; commercial sixty-day bills, 4.71; cables, 4.76 7-16; demand, 4.75⅝; bar silver, 75⅝; Mexican dollars, 58¼; government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, irregular; time loans, easier; sixty and ninety days and six months, 4. Call money, steady; high, 3; low, 2½; ruling rate, 3; last loan, 2½; offered at 2¼; closing bid, 2½.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Bar silver, 36½d. Money, 4¾ per cent.

MEXICAN DOLLARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Mexican dollars, 57 45-100.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.
1,600	Alaska	11½	11	11
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
10,900	Utah Copper	103½	101½	102
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Total sales of stocks—807,000 shares.
Total sales of bonds—3,337,000.

LOS ANGELES CURB MARKET.

Closing prices and sales on the Los Angeles Curb as furnished by W. L. Wilson & Co.:

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Sales—200 Arizona Ray at 22; 100 do. at 23; 1150 do. at 25; 200 Bendigo Copper at 1.04; 1000 Oatman Jumbo at 7½; 100 Jerome Verde at 1.47; 1000 Big Otto Mines at 29; 500 Mohave United at 27½; 300 Mojave Annex at 29½.

Informal sales—4000 Oatman Jumbo at 8; 5300 Arizona Ray at 26; 1000 Mojave Annex at 30.

OATMAN STOCKS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Oatman stocks ranged as follows:

Sales.		Bid.	Asked.	High.	Low.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

THE METAL MARKETS, LEAD, COPPER, ETC.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—These prices were quoted on the Metal Exchange today: Spelter, 9.75 bid today, 10.00 bid yesterday. Quicksilver, 80.00 bid today, 80.00 bid yesterday. Bar silver in London, 36½d, off 3-16d; in New York, 75⅝, off ⅝. Mexican dollars, 58¼@61⅝.

LEAD AND COPPER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Metal Exchange quotes lead, 7.50@7.62. Spelter, dull; spot, East St. Louis delivery, 9⅝ asked.

Copper dull; electrolytic first, second and third quarters, 30.00@32.50, nominal. Metal Exchange quotes tin quiet; spot, 40.25@40.75.

COLORADO TUNGSTEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DENVER, Dec. 27.—Colorado concentrates, 60 per cent., 15.00 per unit; crude ores, 60 per cent., 15.00; 25 per cent., 9.40 to 12.00; 10 per cent., 5.70 to 10.00 per unit.

TURPENTINE AND ROSIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) Dec. 27.—Turpentine, 51½, steady; sales, 291; receipts, 300; shipments, none; stock, 22,978. Rosin, firm; sales, 1201; receipts, 2914; shipments, 278; stock, 5528. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, 6.10; F, G, 6.12½@6.15; H, 6.15@6.17½; I, 6.15@6.20; K, 6.30; M, 6.45; N, 6.65; WG, 7.00@7.05; WW, 7.25.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Dec. 28, 1916.

Bank clearings yesterday were $4,945,860.28, an increase of $2,003,916.61, compared with the corresponding day last year.

	1916.	1915.	1914.
Monday—Holiday.			
Tuesday	$5,737,821.28	$3,024,159.86	$2,006,509.02
Wed'day	4,945,860.28	2,941,943.67	3,444,103.76

Easy.

HOLIDAY SPIRIT COVERS EXCHANGE.

HOME TELEPHONE COMMON IN ADVANCES.

Annual Exchange Meeting Date Announced—Several New Members Listed—Trading Without Special Features—Expect Prices to Continue Increase.

Home Telephone common stock is showing a continued advance and is in good demand. The market jumped a dollar yesterday and with the approach of a merger, the prices are expected to keep on going up during the next two weeks. More than 50 shares were sold yesterday and the market which opened at 51.00, slightly higher than the close of the previous day, went to 51.37½ during the session.

The holiday spirit of doing as little as possible prevaded the sessions of the exchange. Arizona Ray, from the mining list, sold as low as 21 and up to 24. The day's trading moved less than 500 shares of this stock. Tom Reed closed at 1.92, 2 cents lower than the highest price for the day. Union Oil hit the 112.00 mark when the last 20 shares sold went at that figure after an opening at 111.50.

President Frank H. Pettingell of the exchange announced that the annual meeting will be held at 3 o'clock on January 9, in the board rooms, this date being the second Tuesday of the first month of the year. Secretary L. F. Parsons announced the admission of three new members to the exchange, Alvin H. Frank, T. R. Coffin and C. S. Potter.

LOCAL CLOSING. STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings Bank	110.00	125.00
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

BOND LIST.

(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Hospital		70.00
Consolidated Realty Co.	70.00	101.00
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

*—Per 1000 shares.

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	79.50	80.50
Associated Oil	70.00	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union	111.75	112.50
United Petroleum	110.00	
West Coast Oil pfd.	118.00	
Western Union	77.00	85.00

SALES.

Morning session—100 Arizona Ray Copper at .21½; 150 do at .24; 50 Associated Oil at 70.00; 2000 Gilt Edge at .01½; 20 Home Tel. Co. at 51.00; 20 do. at 51.37½; 10 do. at 51.25; 10 do. at 51.12½; 1000 Lucky Boy at .14½; [illegible]; 2000 National Pacific at .03¼; 2000 Olinda Land at .29; [illegible]; 100 Tom Reed at 1.94½; 100 do. at 1.93; 300 do. at 1.94; 10 Union Oil at 111.50; 10 do. at 111.62½.

Afternoon session—200 Arizona Ray Copper at .21; 100 Big Jim Gold at 1.22; 500 do. at 1.22½; 3000 Carter Gold at .06½; 2000 do. at .06¾; 1000 do. buyer 30 days, at .06¾; 24,000 Gilt Edge at .02; 2000 Ivanhoe Con. at .07¾; 1000 National Pacific at .03¾; 5000 Oatman Queen at .01¾; 100 Tom Reed at 1.92; 10 Union Oil at 111.75; 10 do. at 111.87½; 20 do. at 112.00; 5 United Petroleum at 111.00.

Informal sales—20 Home Tel. Co. at 50.25; 1000 Lucky Boy at .14; 500 Ivanhoe Con. at .07¼.

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

YELLOW PINE MINING DISTRICT.

[Reported by Edwin Kennedy, 504 Security Bldg.]

GOODSPRINGS (Nev.) Dec. 27.—Today's quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Grain.

BIG EXPORT SALES CAUSE BOOST IN WHEAT MARKET

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Estimates that export sales in the last twenty-four hours had reached an aggregate of 2,000,000 bushels or more brought about sharp advances in the wheat market here today. Closing prices, although unsettled, were 3 to 6⅝ net higher, with May at 1.73⅛ to 1.73⅜ and July at 1.41¼ to 1.41⅜.

Corn showed a net gain of ⅛ to 1⅝, and oats of ⅛ to ⅝@¾. In provisions, the outcome varied from 15 decline to a rise of 5.

Announcement that Great Britain had summoned the Premiers of her outlying dominions to a council to discuss possible terms on which the war might be ended led to only a moderate and very brief early setback in values.

Word that foreigners had taken as much as 1,000,000 bushels yesterday was followed by statements that today's business appeared to be on an even greater scale.

Corn rallied with wheat. Oats duplicated the action of corn.

CLOSING FIGURES.

Wheat, May, 1.73⅛; July, 1.41⅛. Corn, May, 93¼; July, 92⅝. Oats, May, 53⅜; July, 51. Pork, January, 27.25; May, 26.80. Lard, January, 15.82; May, 16.00. Ribs, January, 13.90; May, 14.32.

CASH SALES.

Corn, No. 2 yellow, 92¼@92½; No. 4 yellow, 87@90; No. 4 white, 89@91½. Rye, No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 1.22@1.25. Barley, 85@1.22. Timothy, 3.50@5.50. Clover, 12.00@17.00.

RANGE OF PRICES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
Wheat—					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
December	1.50	1.65⅛	1.50	1.65⅛	
Corn—					
May	.92⅝	.93½	.91½	.93¼	.93⅜
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

OUTSIDE GRAIN MARKETS.

Duluth—Close: Wheat, December, 1.75¼; May, 1.78⅜; July, 1.72½. Flax, December, 2.86; May, 2.89⅜.

Winnipeg—Close: Wheat, December, 1.76; May, 1.79½. Oats, December, 55⅛; May, 58⅛.

Kansas City—Close: Wheat, December, 1.73⅜; May, 1.70⅜; July, 1.38⅝. Corn, December, 88½; May, 90⅜; July, 90⅜.

St. Louis—Close: Wheat, December, 1.77½; May, 1.73; July, 1.39½. Corn, December, 95; May, 93⅝; July, 93⅛.

Minneapolis—Close: Wheat, December, 1.75¼; May, 1.78⅛; July, 1.72¼.

PORTLAND MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND, (Or.) Dec. 27.—Wheat, firm; no trading. Spot bids unchanged to 3 higher. Bluestem, 1.45; fortyfold, 1.40; club, 1.40; Red Russian, 1.37.

NEW YORK MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Wheat, spot, strong. Corn, spot, steady. Oats, spot, firm.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

[BY CABLE AND A. P.]

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 27.—Wheat, spot, No. 1 northern spring, 17s 6d; No. 2 hard winter, no stock; No. 1 Manitoba old, 18s; No. 3 new, 16s 11d.

STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Following are today's quotations on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange:

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Bonds—		
4s quarterly coupon (new)	109⅝	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SALES.

Morning session—4000 Natomas Co. 6s at [illegible]; 2500 Pacific Light & Power Gtd. 5s at 90⅝; 1000 United R. R. of S. F. 4s at 37½; 1000 Oakland Traction Co. 5s at 39; 2000 Oakland Traction Co. 5s at 59; 75 Spring Valley Water at 61¼; [illegible]

Afternoon session—16,000 Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s at 101¼; 1000 Los Angeles-Pacific Railway of Cal. 5s at 83¼; 5000 City Electric Co. 5s at [illegible]; 1000 Associated Oil 5s at 109⅛; 1000 Pacific Gas & Electric 5s at 92⅝; 1000 San Joaquin Light & Power 5s at 103⅛, seller 15 days; 5 Associated Oil at 50; 50 Spring Valley Water at 61⅛; [illegible] 25 California Wine Association common at 26⅛; 10 Alaska Packers' Association at 160; 50 Onomea Sugar Co. at 53⅜; 20 Paauhau Sugar Plantation at 23.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS ON CHICAGO 'CHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Chicago stock market:

	Close.
American Shipbuilding	64⅝
[illegible]	[illegible]

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LIVE-STOCK MARKET AT VARIOUS CENTERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Hogs: Receipts, 41,000; weak, at 10 above yesterday's average. Bulk, 10.10@10.55; light, 9.70@10.45; mixed, 10.00@10.65; heavy, 10.10@10.70; rough, 10.10@10.25; pigs, 7.50@9.85. Cattle: Receipts, 18,000; firm. Native beef cattle, 7.20@11.80; western steers, 7.25@10.00; stockers and feeders, 5.20@8.15; cows and heifers, 4.20@10.00; calves, 9.50@12.25. Sheep: Receipts, 15,000; strong. Wethers, 9.10@10.25; ewes, 6.40@9.75; lambs, 11.25@13.50, the highest on record.

PORTLAND MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 27.—Hogs: Receipts, 280; steady. Bulk of packing grades, 9.65@9.75; heavy packing, 9.70@9.85; heavy butchers, 9.65@9.75; light packing, 9.55@9.60; rough heavy, 8.50@9.00; pigs and skips, 8.00@8.50; stock hogs, 6.50@8.25; cripples, 8.00. Cattle: Receipts, 169; steady. Steers, prime light, 8.00@8.25; prime heavy, 8.00@8.25; good, 7.00@8.00; cows, choice, 6.45@6.50; medium to good, 6.00@6.25; ordinary to fair, 5.00@5.50; heifers, 6.25@6.60; bulls, 3.50@5.00; calves, 5.00@7.00. Sheep: Receipts, 128. Lambs, east of mountains, no offer; lambs, valley, 9.75@10.25; lambs, common, 9.00@9.25; choice yearling wethers, 8.25@8.75; good yearlings, 8.00@8.25; choice light ewes, 6.75@7.25; heavy ewes, 6.00@6.50.

KANSAS CITY MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27.—Cattle: Receipts, 4700; higher. Prime fed steers, 10.25@11.25; dressed beef steers, 8.00@10.25; western steers, 6.50@10.25; cows, 5.25@8.50; heifers, 6.00@10.50; stockers and feeders, 6.00@8.50; bulls, 5.50@7.50; calves, 6.00@11.00.

NEVADA MINE STOCKS; SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Following are sales and range of quotations:

Sales.	Goldfield—	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
1,500	Atlanta	.10	.10	.09	.10
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

PAPER DIVIDEND.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The International Paper Company today declared a quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent., which is one-half of one per cent. increase over the previous disbursement.

PENNA DIVIDEND.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—The Pennsylvania Company, which operates Pennsylvania railroad lines west of Pittsburgh, today declared a dividend of four per cent., making eight for the year. This is an increase of two per cent. over 1915.

RANGE OF STOCK PRICES IN BOSTON.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Following are closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Adventure	3¾	4	Mayflower	2⅞	3⅛
Ahmeek	101	103	Majestic	70	72
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mass. Cop.	14	14⅝	Wolverine	38½	39⅛

MINING QUOTATIONS IN SALT LAKE CITY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SALT LAKE, Dec. 27.—Close:

	Close.		Close.
Antelope Star	.15⅛	O. K. Silver	.35
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
New Quincy	.17½	Walker	2.00

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NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF THE LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY

Los Angeles, California, December 1, 1916.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Los Angeles Investment Company will be held at Trinity Auditorium, 847 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California, on Wednesday, January 10, 1917, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day for the purpose of electing Directors for said corporation for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

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Secretary of the Los Angeles Investment Company.

By order of the Board of Directors.

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Business Page: Citrus Fruits, Butter and Eggs—Current Trade—Local Produce Markets.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Only the insistence of one of the creamery men on the maintenance of the wholesale butter quotation at 37 cents, an advance of ½ cent over the market of the previous day, kept this commodity from a still higher price. The butter dealers with only one exception reported that their wagons are going out with a short load on every trip and that it is almost impossible to fill the increasing orders which are partially due to the tourist influx. Receipts yesterday were 27,400 pounds and the selling was very slow in face of the advancing market.

While eggs advanced 1 cent here, they dropped 2½ cents in San Francisco. The market in the north was way up to 43 cents however, while here it was standing at 36. The double action change in state prices brings much closer figures and will help divert some of the central shipments to this territory instead of the north. Some Chinese eggs were offered at 30.

On the open market there were few changes. Fresh grapes are cleaning up fast and only a few Red Emperors are left for distribution. Winter Nellis pears are in fair demand and apples are also moving freely.

Receipts of the day were eggs, 165 cases; butter, 27,400 pounds; cheese, 50 pounds; potatoes, 1582 sacks, the majority of which were diverted; beans, 1051 sacks and apples, 798 boxes.

HOME BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

EGGS—Fresh ranch, case count, 37; candled, 39@41; northern fresh extras, f.o.b. San Francisco, 39.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 37 per pound; firsts, 35. This selling price to the trade is 4 cents higher than above quotations.

PRICES CURRENT.

CHEESE—California fresh, 20 eastern daisies, 27; eastern twins, 27; eastern cheddars, 27; Oregon triplets, 25; Tillamooks, 25; Oregon longhorns, 27; domestic Swiss block, 32; wheel, 35@40; Edelweiss limburger, 27@29; Canada cream, 95; German breakfast, 1.00; cream brick, 34; Martin twins, 27; Martin daisies, 27.

CITRUS FRUIT—Oranges, navels, 2.50@2.75; tangerines, 1.75 lug; lemons, 2.25; packed, 2.75; juice, 1.75; grapefruit, extra fancy, 2.00@2.25; limes, 85 basket.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples: Bellefleur, 4-tier, 1.25@1.30; 4½-tier, 1.15; 3½-tier, 1.10; Spitzenbergs, 1.85@2.25; Jonathans, 1.50@2.00; Greenings, 1.50; Delicious, 1.50@2.00; Hoovers, 1.50; White Winter Pearmains, 1.25@1.60; Yellow Newtown Pippins, 1.10@1.25; bananas, 4½@4¾ per lb.; grapes, Malagas, 10.50 drum; Cornichons, 1.65 crate; Red Emperor, 2.75 keg; Bartlett pears, 2.75 box; 1.60@1.65 lug; 6 per lb.; Winter Nellis, 1.50 lug; persimmons, 9@10 lb.; pineapples, 9@10 lb.; pomegranates, 2.00 half box.

BERRIES—Cranberries, Late Howes, 10.50 bbl.

GREEN VEGETABLES—These quotations are for first-class shipping stock: Alligator pears, 1.50@6.00 doz.; artichokes, 90@1.25 doz.; Jerusalem artichokes, 1.25 lug; beans, Kentucky Wonder, 16@17; beets, 30 doz.; Brussels sprouts, 10 lb.; cabbage, 1.75 sack, 2¾@3 lb.; red cabbage, 3½@4 lb.; carrots, 30 doz.; 85 sack; cauliflower, 65 doz.; 1.65 crate; new celery, 75 doz.; 3.00@3.25 crate; hothouse cucumbers, 1.00@1.50 doz.; green chile, 17@18 lb.; eggplant, 18 per lb.; horseradish root, 1.00 a dozen; onions, 17½@20 doz.; oyster plant, 40 doz.; leeks, 40@50 per doz.; lettuce, common, 25 per doz., 1.00 crate; chicory, 40 doz.; parsley, 20 doz.; escarole, 35@40 doz.; parsnips, 30 doz., 1.00 sack; peas, Telephone, 11@12; sugar peas, 8@9; bell peppers, 16@18; pimento, 7@9 lb.; spinach, 20 doz.; mint, 10; radishes, 17½@20; rhubarb, strawberry, 1.00; crimson winter, 75; romaine, 40 doz.; cream small squash, 60 lug; summer squash, 1.25 lug; Hubbard squash, 1¼ lb.; chayote squash, 85@90 lug; pumpkins, 2@2¼ lb.; tomatoes, 1.10 crate; 1.25 lug; turnips, 30, 1.25 sack.

POTATOES—Northern, 2.35@2.65; Lompoc, 3.00; local, 2.35@2.40; Oregon, Burbanks, 2.50; sweets, 2.65@3.00 cwt., 1.00 lug.

BEANS—(Per 100 lbs.) Pink, No. 1, 8.00; Lady Washington, 11.50; small white, 11.50; limas, No. 1, 8.00; Garvanzas, 6.00; Manchurian reds, 7.80; Baby Mexican, 6.00; tepary, 6.50; black eyes, 5.90; Idaho pinto, 5.00; lentils, 18.00.

ONIONS AND CHILE—Strings, 15; ground chile, 10; Jap chile, 30 lb.; loose, 14; chile tepins, 75 lb.; boiling onions, 1.25 lug; white onions, 4.25@4.35; brown onions, 4.00 cwt.; garlic, 10.

HONEY—Comb, white, 12½; water white, 7½; light amber, 12½@14; extracted, amber, 8; white, 6½@7; water white, 9; beeswax, 32 lb.

DRIED FRUIT—(25-lb. boxes, faced, 50s, ½c less.) Apples, evaporated, 50s, choice, 9; extra choice, 9½; extra choice, 25s, 10; apricots, choice, 16; extra choice, 16½; fancy, 17; peaches, choice, 10; extra choice, 9½; fancy, 10; prunes, 20-30s, 16; 30-40s, 11; 40-50s, 10½; 50-60s, 10; 60-70s, 8½; 70-80s, 9; 80-90s, 8½; 90-100s, 8; citron, 30 lb.; lemon peel, 20; orange peel, 20; evaporated pears, 12½.

RAISINS, FIGS AND DATES—Raisins, seeded, 36 16-oz., fancy, 9; fancy, 12-oz., 8½; Not-a-Seed, 48 12-oz., 9; LL., 3-crown, 1.75; 4-crown, 2.60; 6-crown, 3.00; 24 1-lb clusters, 2.25; 12 2-lb. clusters, 2.60; 4 5-lb. clusters, 2.85; 25-lb. extra choice seeded, 2.25; 48s 1-lb. Sun Maid, 4.85 case; Thompson bleached, 50s, 13½; loose muscatel, 50s, 2-crown, 4.00; 3-crown, 4.25; 4-crown, 4.50; vineyard run, 50-lb., box, 4.00. Figs, 6-oz. pkgs., 2.75; 5-layer, 1.75 box. Dates, Golden, 60s, 15; Fard, 60s, 17; Fard, 12s, 20.

NUTS—New almonds, fancy, IXL, 19@20; Ne Plus Ultra, 18¼@19; cocoanuts, per doz., 1.15@1.25; filberts, 18¼@18¾; pecans, large, 19; peanuts, eastern, 7½; Brazils, 22@24; walnuts, Asso. No. 1, 18@19; Jumbo, 19½@20; budded, 22; orchard run, 14; eastern popcorn, 5@5½ lb.; pine, 17½ lb.; hickory, 10 lb.

RICE—(Per 100 lbs.) Extra fancy head, Carolina, 5.75@6.50; Patna, 6.50; fancy head, 6.75; Blue Rose, 5.25; Red Rose, 4.50; Japanese, 4.00@4.25; California, 4.25; Siam, 5.00; China, No. 1, 5.75; No. 2, 4.50; brewers', 2.75@3.50; broken, 2.75@4.25; rice bran, 30.00 ton; rice middlings, 40.00 ton; rice polish, 42.00 ton.

Provision List.

LIVE STOCK—Following are prices f.o.b. shipping point: No. 1 fed steers, 900 to 1200 lbs., 7½@7¾; seconds, 6¾@7; thin, 6¼@6½; No. 1 feed cows and heifers, 6@6¼; seconds, 5½@5¾; thin, 4½@5; good bulls and stags, 5; common bulls, 4¼@4¾; calves, 8@9½; light calves, 9; sheep, western, shorn, per head, 6.50@7.00; ewes, 6.50@6.75; suckling lambs, 8.50. Following quotations are based on delivered prices weighed off cars f.o.b. Los Angeles: Hogs, choice grain fed, 150 to 250 lbs., 9@9¼; 250 to 300 lbs., 8¾@8¾; 300 lbs. and over, 8.

POULTRY—Prices to producers: Broilers, 22@24; fryers, 20@22; roasters, 20; old cocks, 10; hens, 15@19; turkeys, hens, 20@23; toms, 23@25; ducklings, 18; young geese, 18. Selling price to trade is 3 cents higher than above quotations.

MUTTON—Yearlings, 17; wethers, 16; ewes, 14; No. 2 yearlings, 16; No. 2 mutton, wethers, 14; No. 2 mutton, ewes, 12.

LAMBS—Plain milk, 46 lbs. and under, 18; over 40 lbs., 17.

BEEF—No. 1 steers, 12; medium steers, 11½; No. 1 cows, 11¼; No. 2 cows, 10¾; steer hindquarters, No. 1, 13; cows, 12½; forequarters, 10¼; short loins, 18@19; loins, No. 1, 16; medium loins, 15; No. 1 8-rib cut, 13; No. 2 8-rib cut, 11; loin butts, 13; short chux, 10¼; full chux, 10; triangles, 9¾; plates, 9; cow rounds and rumps, 12; steer rounds and rumps, 12½.

VEAL—Heavy, 15; light, 16.

PORK—Dressed hogs, heads on, 13; do., heads off, 14; trimmed hogs, 16; loins, fresh, 18; do., legs, fresh, 18; picnics, fresh, 13; bellies, 17; leaf lard, 15.

HAMS—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 24; fancy, 23; medium, 21@22; skinned, extra fancy, 24; fancy, 23; boiled, fancy, 33; medium, boiled, 31.

BACON—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 29@30; fancy, 24@25; narrow, 22; bacon backs, 19½; boneless butts, 18; picnics, 14; boned picnics, 17.

LARD—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 19; fancy, 18½; medium, 17; shortening, 16; lard compound, 15.

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS—D.S. bellies, 17½; D.S. clear backs, 16½; D.S. fat backs, 16¼; smoked butts, 19; beef tongues, 32; do., boiled, 34; insides, 30; dried beef knuckles, 26.

FRESH FISH—Wholesale price per pound: Barracuda, 11; halibut, 11; rock cod, 8; sand dabs, 10; salmon, 18; mackerel, 7; smelt, 8@10; tuna, 6; carp; 6; cockles, 7; bonita, 6; blue perch, 7; sole, 8; mussels, 5; smoked albacore, 12½; striped bass, 18; clams, 7; bulk oysters, 1.60; a hundred; quart oysters, 6.50 doz.; California oysters, 60 a hundred; lobsters, 26@28; scallops, 5.00 a gallon; crabs, 4.00 doz.; whitebait, 15@20; salmon trout, 25@27; yellowtail, 10; picked shrimps, 50; catfish, 18.

SUGAR—(Per 100 pounds.) Prices quoted below are for the city of Los Angeles, and are based on sacks: Barrels, add 10 cents; ½ barrels, 25 cents; boxes, 50 cents; bales, 25s, 10 cents; 10s, 15 cents; 5s, 20 cents; 2s, 30 cents. All prices are net cash, less 15 cents a hundredweight if invoices dated from the first to the fifteenth of the month, inclusive, are paid not later than the twenty-fifth of the same month, or if dated from the sixteenth to the last day of the month, are paid not later than the tenth of the following month: Beet granulated, 7.15; standard cane, 7.35; standard berry, 7.35.

WHEAT FLOUR—Quoted by bbls.: Capitol Milling Co.: Capitol, 9.40; Aurora, 8.60; Trophy, 7.70; No. 1 hard bakers', 9.50; bakers' extra blend and California wheat blend, 9.00; Our Giant, 8.90; Eclipse, 8.10. Los Angeles Milling Co.: Forex, 9.40 per bbl.; Purity, 8.60; Morning Glory, 7.70; Forex bakers' extra, 9.00; bakers' pastry, 8.10.

GRAIN AND FEED—Per 100 lbs.: Alfalfa meal, 1.85; alfalfa molasses, 1.55; barley, rolled, 2.50; ground barley meal, 2.80; recleaned barley, 2.55; corn, whole yellow, 2.70; whole white corn, 2.80; corn, cracked, 2.75; Egyptian corn, 2.50; red feed oats, 2.60; white feed oats, 2.45; bran, 1.95; shorts, 2.35; No. 1 wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 3.05; 133-lb. sacks, 3.00; cracked wheat, 2.15; Milo maize, 2.40; oilcake meals, 2.50; rye seed, 3.25; rolled oats, 2.80; chicken feed, 3.30; oats, chop, 2.30; cottonseed meal, 2.30; feed meal, 2.90; chicken feed, 3.30; oats, chop, 1.70; buckwheat, 3.50; copra, 30.30 ton.

HAY—Alfalfa, 14.00@16.50 ton; barley hay, 14.00@16.00; tame oat hay, 17.00@20.00; wheat hay, 15.00@17.00; stock hay, 10.00@12.00. The above are jobbing prices per ton. Producers receive 1.00@2.00 less.

Oil List.

Pearl oil, Ventura, or Union water white, iron bbls., and wagons	$ .09
Pearl oil, in cases	.17
Union gas machine gasoline, drums	.47
Union gas machine gasoline, cases, 2 5s	.55
Eocene oil, in cases, 2 5s	.20
Headlight in cases, 2 5s	.18
Union Headlight, in cases, 2 5s	.20
V. M. & P. naphtha, drums	.19
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2 5s	.27
Union benzine, bulk	.19
Union benzine, in cases	.27
Red Crown, Union and Ventura gasoline, iron bbls. and tank wagons	.20
Red Crown, Union and Ventura gasoline, cases, 2 5s	.28
Distillate, iron bbls. and tank wagons	.10
Distillate, cases, 2 5s	.18
Linseed oil, raw, in bbls	1.08
Linseed oil, raw, in cases	1.13
Linseed oil, boiled, in bbls	1.10
Linseed oil, boiled, in cases	1.15
Turpentine, iron bbls	.65
Turpentine, in cases, 2 5s	.72

PRICES ON LOCAL GRAIN EXCHANGE.

These quotations are in car lots and sacked unless otherwise specified.

	Bid.	Asked.
No. 1 Sonora milling wheat	....	$2.70
Port. standard oats	....	2.20
No. 1 bright feed barley	$ 2.15	2.25
Sample Egyptian corn	....	2.20
Milo maize, local	....	2.00
Local white bran	....	36.00
Northern shorts	....	34.00
Montana bran	....	32.00
Montana mill run	....	34.00
Cocoanut meal	....	31.00
Cotton seed meal	....	39.00

FUTURES.

Commodity, 100-ton lots:	Bid.	Asked.
Milo maize:		
January	1.90	1.97½

BUTTER AND EGGS, LATEST QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Butter, steady; receipts, 9013; creamery, 41½@42½; firsts, 36½@40½; seconds, 34½@36. Eggs, firm; receipts, 5067; fresh gathered extra firsts, 48@49; firsts, 46@47; refrigerator special marks fancy, 34½; seconds to firsts, 32@34. Cheese, steady; receipts, 1900. State held specials, 24¾@24½; do., average fancy, 23½@24.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Butter, firsts, 33. Eggs, fresh extras, 39; pullets, 32½.

PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Flour, 9.00@9.40; wheat, California club, 2.45@2.50; barley, 2.15@2.20; oats, red, 2.65@2.75; white, 2.00@2.05. Receipts: Flour, 1720 quarters; barley, 1640 centals; beans, 246 sacks; potatoes, 1500 sacks; hay, 85 tons; hides, 290; wine, 4500 gallons. Fruit—Cranberries, 8.00@9.50 barrel; pears, Winter Nellis, 1.75 box; lemons, 3.00@3.25; limes, 1.00@1.25; grapefruit, 2.25@2.50; oranges, navels, 2.50@2.75; bananas, 1.50@1.75; pineapples, 2.50@2.70; apples, Newtown Pippins, 1.00@1.10; Bellefleur, 75@1.00. Poultry—Hens, 19@21; old roosters, 11@12; fryers, 22@24; broilers, 27@30; small, large, 22@23; squabs, 2.00@2.50; pigeons, 1.25@1.75; ducks, 13@14; geese, 15@17; turkeys, live, 20@23. Vegetables—Limas, 8@10; lettuce, southern, 90@1.00; fancy, 1.25; summer squash, southern, 85@1.00; cream squash, 85@1.25; tomatoes, southern, 1.25; fancy, 1.50; eggplant, 8@12½; green peppers, fancy, 10; small, 5@7; garlic, 4@5; potatoes, river, 2.00@2.25; sweet, 2.75 for cellar stock; onions, 3.25 carload; celery, 3.25@3.50; rhubarb, 1.00@1.25 box; marrowfat and hubbard squash, 85@1.00. Hay—Wheat, 19.00@20.00; wheat and oat, 16.00@18.00; tame oat, 16.00@17.00; wild oat, 13.00@15.00; stock hay, 10.00@13.00; barley, 13.00@15.00; alfalfa, 12.00@15.00; barley straw, 60@86.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—(Received too late for Tuesday's report.)

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Sun King, Kellerman Co.	$2.00
Equity	1.90
Golden Harp	1.75
Laramono	1.55
Fern	1.45
Kings River	1.30
Sun Queen, Kellerman Co.	1.90
Prize	1.75
Vista De Robles	1.65
Mt. Tivy	1.50
Stellas	1.35
Forgetmenot, T. C. Ex.	2.35
Natural Gold, T. C. Ex.	2.15

LEMONS.

Hawespark, O. R. Ex.	$2.35
Castellamare	2.20
El Modena	1.65

Boston Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Thirteen cars sold. Market easier on both oranges and lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Mariposa, E. H. Eskew	$1.85
Equity	1.70
Triumph, Asst. O. Dist.	1.40
Vacation, C. C. Ex.	1.45
Chimes, C. C. Ex.	2.20
Strathmore, T. C. Ex.	2.35
Watchumna, C. C. Ex.	2.25
Los Floros, Asst. O. Dist.	1.80
Legal Tender, Fillmore Pkg. Co.	1.55
Gold Dredger	1.30
Heart, L. M. Ex.	2.05
Lochlomond, T. C. Ex.	2.00
Commonwealth, T. C. Ex.	2.00
Forgetmenot, T. C. Ex.	2.20

LEMONS.

Athlete, S. A. Ex.	$1.80
Basket, Ball	1.25
Whittier, S. T. Ex.	2.35
Pico	1.95

St. Louis Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—Fourteen cars sold. Market easier on oranges and lemons account of quality of offerings.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Red and Blue Label, C. C. Ex.	$1.75
Vacation, C. C. Ex.	1.80
Natural Gold, T. C. Ex.	1.85
Mutt, T. C. Ex.	1.75
Gabriella	1.65
Green Gate, Dawson & Denny	1.80
Green Banner, Sutherland F. Co.	1.80
Tular Belle	1.80
Lady Strathmore	2.10
Red and Blue Label, C. C. Ex.	1.75
Red and Blue Label, C. C. Ex.	1.85
Napones, T. C. Ex.	1.95
Badger, L. M. Ex.	1.85
Red Gate, Dawson & Denny	1.55
Golden Pheasant	1.40
Native, Sutherland F. Co.	1.65
Tamo Shanter	1.90

LEMONS.

Trail, A. C. G. Ex.	$2.30
Canyon	1.95
Mt. Wilson	1.80
Symbol	1.10

Cincinnati Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CINCINNATI, Dec. 27.—Five cars sold. Market firm on good stock oranges and lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Azalia, Foothill O. G. Co.	$2.00
Tulip, T. C. Ex.	2.30
Commercial, L. M. Ex.	2.15
Vacation, C. C. Ex.	2.25
Oddfel, T. C. Ex.	1.90

LEMONS.

Cluster, O. K. Ex.	$2.30
Lake, O. K. Ex.	1.80

Pittsburgh Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—Five cars sold. Market is lower.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Defender	$2.10
Assyrian	1.85
Red and Blue Label, C. C. Ex.	2.10
Forgetmenot, T. C. Ex.	2.35
Lemonada	2.05
Saddleback, O. R. Ex.	1.70
Vacation, C. C. Ex.	1.90

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—Four cars sold. Market lower on oranges, steady on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Button Willow, L. M. Ex.	$2.10

Cleveland Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27.—Thirteen cars sold. Market opened strong; closed higher on navels; stronger on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Poinsettia, E. H. Eskew	$2.35
Sunflower, Foothill O. G. Co.	2.20
Mallard, Randolph M. Co.	2.10
Triumph, Asst. O. Dist.	1.95
Earl	1.90
Old Colony	1.75
Basket, C. C. Ex.	2.35
Portola, S. T. Ex.	2.00
Forest City, C. C. Ex.	2.25
Scotch Lassie, T. C. Ex.	2.15
Strathmore, T. C. Ex.	2.35
Las Flores, Asst. O. Dist.	2.20
Legal Tender, Fillmore Pkg. Co.	2.10
Wahtoke, O'Neill F. Co.	2.05
Sunbow	1.90
Sunrise	1.80
Kaweah Chief, C. C. Ex.	2.30
Baldwin, C. C. Ex.	2.50
Baldwin, C. C. Ex.	2.40
Kaweah Chief, C. C. Ex.	2.40
Lochlomond, T. C. Ex.	2.20

TANGERINES.

C. C. Exchange	$2.05

LEMONS.

Excellent, S. P. Ex.	2.45
Seaside	2.40
Protection, C. C. Ex.	2.65
Buckeye	2.35

New York Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Twenty-four cars California navels, one car Arizona navels and one car lemons sold. Navels lower. Lemons slightly easier. Raining.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Mt. Whitney, T. C. Ex.	$2.60
Lochlomond, T. C. Ex.	2.70
Strathmore, T. C. Ex.	2.50
Earlibest, C. C. Ex.	2.80
Mid California, T. C. Ex.	2.55
Heart, L. M. Ex.	2.35
Forgetmenot, T. C. Ex.	2.80
Big Tree, C. C. Ex.	2.25
Silver Lake, C. C. Ex.	2.70
State, T. C. Ex.	2.45
Capitol, T. C. Ex.	2.15
Mt. Whitney, T. C. Ex.	2.10
Blue Label, C. C. Ex.	2.35
Lochlomond, T. C. Ex.	2.50
Strathmore, T. C. Ex.	2.30
Button Willow, L. M. Ex.	2.40
Tuberose, S. C. Ex.	2.10
Forgetmenot, T. C. Ex.	2.15
Goldhill, L. M. Ex.	2.25
Pride of the West, L. M. Ex.	2.20
Strathmore, T. C. Ex.	2.15
State, T. C. Ex.	2.30
Capitol, T. C. Ex.	2.15
Riveridge, C. C. Ex.	2.05
Commercial, L. M. Ex.	2.20
Fairoaks, S. C. Ex.	2.15
Friar	2.15
Tesoro Red, A. S. Bradford	1.80
Alverquero	1.80
Fir, Asst. O. Dist.	1.95
Golden Bell	1.75
Regal, Growers' F. Co.	2.20
Regent, Growers' F. Co.	1.85

ARIZONA NAVELS.

Cactus	$2.10

LEMONS.

Aristocrat	$2.50
Lancer	2.05

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.	Oranges.	Lemons.	Ttl.
December 26	14	2	16
Total to date this season	2,348	717	3,065
Total to same date last season	1,005	781	1,786
CENTRAL CALIFORNIA.			
December 23, 24, 25	129	8	137
Total to date this season	3,542	104	3,646
Total to same date last season	3,567	63	3,630
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.			
December 23, 24, 25	13	0	13
Total to date this season	809	0	809
Total to same date last season	531	0	531

Cotton.

PRICES ARE STRONG ALL DURING SESSION.

LIVERPOOL CABLES REPORT BUYING IS GENERAL.

Great Amount of Crop Held in United States for European Account is Feature of Comment. Germany Said to Own Fully Half-million Bales now in South.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—Cotton today displayed strength from the opening to the close of the session. Liverpool opened after the Christmas holidays considerably higher than due and cables reported general buying and a much improved tone. First prices here represented an advance of 7 to 16 points and there was practically no recession throughout the day. The close showed a net gain of 46 to 51 points.

The improved technical position undoubtedly was the factor chiefly responsible for the strong undertone. As prices moved upward the bulls took courage and new arguments in favor of higher prices began to make their appearance.

The feature which was the subject of the most general comment related to the amount of cotton held in this country for European account. One spot merchant was quoted as expressing the belief that fully 500,000 bales of cotton now in the South were owned by German interests. Others expressed the opinion that that amount could easily be trebled. At any rate, the visible supply of the United States is either owned or contracted for by foreign spinners.

It is regarded as hardly reasonable that foreigners would wait until peace was actually established before protecting themselves with their urgent requirements of cotton.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—The New Orleans spot cotton market today: Low ordinary, 14.50; ordinary, 15.25; good ordinary, 15.55; strict good ordinary, 16.15; low middling, 16.75; strict low middling, 17.00; middling, 17.25; strict middling, 17.44; good middling, 17.62; strict good middling, 17.87; middling fair, 18.24; middling fair to fair, 18.49; fair, 18.74. Sales, 206 bales; to arrive, 100 bales; delivered on contract, none. Tone of market quiet.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 27.—Cotton, spot, firm; good middling, 10.47; middling, 10.37; low middling, 10.21. Sales—5000.

OIL STOCK PRICES IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Amalgamated Oil, 81.50 asked; Caribou, 90 bid; Claremont, 225 asked; Coalinga Central, 10 bid; Coalinga Mohawk, 65 bid; Cresceus, 25 asked; Enos, 7 bid; Globe, 1 bid, 3 asked; Illinois Crude 5 bid; Jade, 9 bid; Kern River, 200 bid; Lucile, 250 bid; Maricopa Nat., 18 bid; Maricopa No. 36, 96 bid; Mascot, 100 bid; Midway Oil Co., 35 bid; National Pacific, 3 bid, 4 asked; New Penn. Pet., 17 bid; Pacific Crude Oil, 12 bid, 15 asked; Palmer Union, 5 bid; 8 asked; Palmer Union pfd., 12 bid, 13 asked; Peerless, 850 bid; Pinal Dome, 74 bid, 75 asked; Rice Ranch, 125 bid; Sauer Dough, 25 bid; Section 25, 12.00 bid; Sterling, 125 bid; Traders, 42.50 bid; Union, 110.00 bid; United Oil, 20 bid, 22 asked; United Pet., 111.00 asked.

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. Brennan, from San Francisco.
Steamer Klamath, Capt. Cullen, from Portland.
Steamer Vanguard, Capt. Odland, from Eureka.
Steamer Willamette, Capt. Reiner, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer James S. Higgins, Capt. Hardwick, from Fort Bragg.
Steamer G. T. Lindauer, Capt. Rohberg, from Eureka.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, Capt. Smith, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Westerner, Capt. Anderson, from Eureka.

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer Governor, Capt. Thomas, for San Diego.
Steamer Multnomah, Capt. Green, for Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Harvard, Capt. Bartlett, for San Francisco.
Steamer Stanley Dollar, Capt. Peterson, for San Francisco.
Steamer Richmond, Capt. Pfel, for Powell River.
Steamer James S. Higgins, Capt. Hardwick, for San Diego.
Steamer Necanicum, Capt. Peterson, for Astoria.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

All steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports further north.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Steamer.	Line.	Time.
Dec. 28	S. Francisco, Yale	Pacific	10:30 a.m.
Dec. 28	Portland, Rose City	S. F. & P.	12:00 m.
Dec. 28	San Diego, Governor	Pacific	6:00 a.m.
Dec. 29	S. Francisco, Harvard	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Dec. 30	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific	1:00 p.m.
Dec. 30	Seattle, Ad. Dewey	Pacific	7:00 p.m.
Dec. 31	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	10:30 a.m.
Jan. 1	San Diego, Yale	Pacific	1:00 p.m.
Jan. 2	Seattle, President	Pacific	4:00 p.m.

TO DEPART.

Date.	For—Steamer.	Line.	Time.
Dec. 28	Seattle, Governor	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Dec. 29	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Dec. 30	S. Francisco, Harvard	Pacific	10:30 p.m.
Dec. 30	Portland, Beaver	S. F. & P.	12:00 m.
Dec. 31	San Diego, Yale	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Dec. 31	Seattle, Ad. Dewey	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	3:00 p.m.

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamer for Catalina Island leaves San Pedro at 10 a.m. Returning leaves Avalon at 3:15 p.m., arriving at San Pedro at 5:45 p.m.

Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays. East San Pedro ferry every ten minutes from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro. Terminal Island ferry from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, every half hour.

IN PORT.

U.S.S. Oregon, outer harbor.
Steamer Golden Gate, O. H. D. & W. Co.
Steamer Stanwood, L. W. B. L. Co.
Steamer Raymond, H. L. Co.
Steamer Atlas, S. O. Co.
Steamer La Habra, U. O. Co.
Steamer Daisy Mitchell, inner harbor.
Steamer Klamath, inner harbor.
Steamer Vanguard, inner harbor.
Steamer Willamette, C. R. M. L. Co.
Steamer G. T. Lindauer, inner harbor.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, inner harbor.
Steamer Westerner, inner harbor.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer San Gabriel, North Bend, loading.
Steamer Oregon, Gray's Harbor, sailed Dec. 21.
Steamer Coronado, Gray's Harbor, sailed Dec. 18.
Steamer Mandalay, Crescent City, loading.
Steamer Helene, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Tiverton, Portland, sailed Dec. 20.
Steamer Mukilteo, Puget Sound, sailed Dec. 19, with barge Charles Nelson in tow.
Steamer Nome City, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer J. B. Stetson, Gray's Harbor, sailed Dec. 25.
Steamer Daisy Freeman, Portland, sailed Dec. 23.
Steamer Brea, Gray's Harbor, sailed Dec. 21.
Steamer Shasta, Bellingham, sailed Dec. 21.
Steamer Carmel, Willapa, loading.
Steamer Avalon, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Prentiss, Albion, loading.
Steamer Celilo, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer Nehalem, Portland, sailed Dec. 23.

TO AND FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

Steamer La Brea, Taltal, sailed Dec. 7.
Steamer Alliance, Salina Cruz, sailed Dec. 16.
Japanese steamer Kiyo Maru, Hongkong, for South American ports, loading.
British steamer Sculptor, London, loading.
British steamer Ormiston, London, loading.
Steamer Fairhaven, Salina Cruz, sailed Dec. 16.

TIDE TABLE.

Thursday,	Dec. 28	12:24	5:25	11:37	6:30
		4.7	2.0	6.2	—0.5
Friday,	" 29	1:13	6:37	12:35	7:17
		4.9	2.0	5.4	0.1
Saturday,	" 30	2:06	8:04	1:44	8:06
		5.2	2.0	4.5	0.6
Sunday,	" 31	3:00	9:41	2:08	9:00
		5.4	1.6	3.9	1.4

PORT NOTES.

Lumber carriers arriving today were the Klamath from Portland, Vanguard from Eureka, Willamette from Gray's Harbor, James S. Higgins from Fort Bragg, Daisy Gadsby from Gray's Harbor, G. T. Lindauer from Eureka, and the Westerner from Eureka.

Departures for the north were the Harvard for San Francisco, Necanicum for Astoria, Richmond for Powell River, Multnomah for Gray's Harbor via San Francisco, and the Stanley Dollar for San Francisco to be turned over to new owners.

NORTHERN SHIPPING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Arrived: Steamer Santiam, Yale, Los Angeles. Sailed: Steamer Noyo, Redondo.

FLAXSEED MARKET IN THE NORTHWEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 27.—Flax demand quiet. Prices firm compared with the futures. No. 1 seed on spot and to arrive quoted at 8¼@8 cents under Duluth May price. Receipts, 18 cars; shipments, 7 cars. Linseed oil shipments, 147,920 pounds; linseed oilcake and meal, 127,884 pounds.

Duluth—Flaxseed advanced with fresh bidding by crushers, while offerings were limited. December flax closed 2 cents up; May, 1½ cents up; July, 1½ cents up. Closing: Linseed on track and to arrive, 2.85¾; December, 2.86 bid; May, 2.89¾; July, 2.88¾, nominal.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Evaporated apples, dull. Prunes, firm but quiet. Apricots firm. Peaches quiet. Raisins steady.

SUGAR QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Raw sugar, steady; centrifugal, 5.08; molasses, 4.21; refined, dull; fine granulated, 6.95.

Survival.

DRUG STORES WAR ON ANTI-LUNCH PLAN.

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Drug store proprietors who have been accustomed to help pay high corner rents by manipulating a hot lunch service in conjunction with their soda fountains organized yesterday to combat the proposed municipal ordinance, to be brought before the City Council tomorrow, prohibiting drug stores from trading in food unless they operate a kitchen separate and apart from their store. That concerted action is absolutely necessary to keep at least 150 local drug stores from discontinuing business was the general opinion expressed at yesterday's meeting, as the majority of the proprietors present declared that their hot lunch service represented their profits.

According to L. L. Broodeen, proprietor of the drug stores operated under the name of the B & B Drug Company, the ordinance was fostered and presented to the Council by the Restaurant Proprietors' Association. The basis of the ordinance is that the small kitchens operated in drug stores behind their soda fountains are unsanitary because they are in the general store. If, the ordinance provides, these kitchenettes are operated with screen doors between the drug store and the cooking the unsanitary conditions would be remedied. However, as the ordinance speaks only of drug stores, no mention is made of the numerous quick lunch establishments whose cooks work in back of the counter in the same identical way as the soda dispenser operates his hot lunch foundry.

"If that ordinance goes through the B & B company will go out of business," Mr. Broodeen said last night. "And there are more than 100 other drug stores that will suffer also. High rentals and other heavy expenses make it absolutely necessary that we make a profit out of hot lunches. And I defy anyone to prove that our kitchenettes are not clean. There are some quick lunch places that wouldn't bear inspection, but they are not mentioned in the ordinance."

Demands.

ARREST CAUSES SUIT.

Accused Wife Sues Sierra County and District Attorney for Big Damages Following Charge of Alleged Murder of Her Husband.

Mrs. Mary Patterson, who was taken into custody in this city coincident with the arrest of King Dutra at Marysville, both charged with the alleged murder of Charles Patterson, filed suit yesterday against James F. Hunt, District Attorney of Sierra county, and the county of Sierra, for $103,000 damages for false arrest. Mrs. Patterson was released by a justice of the peace at Downieville, which is the county seat of Sierra county, after an examination.

Mr. Patterson, according to her attorney, S. S. Hahn, is in Chloride, Ariz., and the attorney says he has information which indicates that Mr. Patterson will shortly arrive in Los Angeles and seek an interview with his wife with the view of effecting a reconciliation. Mrs. Patterson, on the other hand, it is stated, will file suit for divorce.

The Sierra county authorities, in arresting Mrs. Patterson and Mr. Dutra, went on the theory that they were in love. She demands $2500 as expenses for the services of an attorney, $500 incidental expenses and $100,000 damages growing out of her arrest.

Consideration.

ASKS MORE MONEY.

County Auditor Objects to Cut in Appropriation and Wants Ten Thousand Dollars Additional to Run His Department for Good Service.

County Auditor Lewis, whose appropriation was cut by the Board of Supervisors from $79,390 to $72,050, says he cannot run his department on the latter sum and give good service to the taxpayers. He wants an additional $10,000, and this matter the board has under consideration.

Mr. Lewis says that the work of his department has been increased by the Los Angeles county flood control district and Los Angeles waterworks district No. 3. Yesterday he submitted to the board a report of the transactions and activities of the Auditor's office for the fiscal year ending June 30 last. He believes that the $10,000 appropriation can be made by transferring $7500 from the funds of the Los Angeles waterworks district No. 3 and $2500 from the funds of the Los Angeles county flood control district.

On One-Time Doctrinal Battle-Front.

Reconciled brethren of South Park Christian Church.

Albert A. Herman and Mrs. Vanostal are among those who sought by court order to enjoin Rev. Scott Anderson, W. Homer Lee and others from using the church property to preach alleged "Russellism." The others in the picture are all members of the church body.

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WARRING BRETHREN LIST TO JUDGE'S PEACE PLEA.

"I HAVE been unable to discover what the creed of the Christian church is," declared Judge Jackson yesterday at the conclusion of an airing of the suit brought by trustees of the South Park-Avenue Christian Church to enjoin the teaching in the church of what was styled "Russellism," and to restrain proselyting among the members of the church by followers of Pastor Russell, who are members of the International Bible Students' Association.

"Day before yesterday was Christmas and the old story was told of peace on earth and good will toward men," continued the court, "but here today this so-called Christian church is in a court of law trying to settle a difference, showing they don't believe what they preach."

He said he could not grant the injunction asked for. The trustees employed Rev. Scott Anderson, the pastor of the church, and the court supposed they had the authority to discharge him, but he hoped they would be able to reach an understanding. While he could not enjoin W. Homer Lee from going to the church and teaching the lessons from the International Bible Students' Association, he hoped he was Christian enough "to stay away when some of the people don't want him to come."

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Asked if he did not mean, in the language of Pastor Russell, the kings and holy high priests of the kingdom of heaven, Mr. Lee replied, yes, choosing kings and high priests for the next dispensation.

"Do you believe in sending out missionaries?"

"Yes, but not in just the same way as other churches do."

Mr. Lee said he did not believe that God was trying to convert the world now, for if He is, He is making a miserable failure. He believed that Jesus became divine when He was raised from the dead. Only a few are chosen now as God's children, but at the resurrection everybody will have a chance to hear the plan of salvation. Those who believe in Christ will receive salvation. Those who don't will die.

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The company now has one large mill in construction which will be in operation, according to present plans, within two months, and is preparing an outline for two more mills. The cost of the additional units is estimated at $500,000. The funds are being raised through the sale of stock.

ALONE IN DEATH.

No One Appears to Claim Body of Woman Victim of Bus Accident.

No one has yet appeared at the John R. Paul undertaking-rooms to identify the body of the woman who was killed at Third and Rose streets, Tuesday night, when run down by a bus operated by the Roslyn. The automobile was driven by Wesley Hart, No. 618 West Fourth street.

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Festivities.

JOY FOR MEXICANS.

Brownson House Gives a Christmas Celebration for Little Brown Youngsters and the Older Children will Receive Attention Tonight.

More than 250 Mexican children, ranging in age from 1 year to 10, were the guests of the Brownson House Christmas celebration, held this afternoon at the settlement house, which, although a postscript to the holiday festivities, was enjoyed with true Christmas spirit. The little brown youngsters filled the room to overflowing and were packed three deep around the door on the outside, while many of the mothers stood in the rear of the room, with shawls drawn about their faces, yet eyeing the huge Christmas tree, decked with trinkets and gifts, almost as eagerly as the children.

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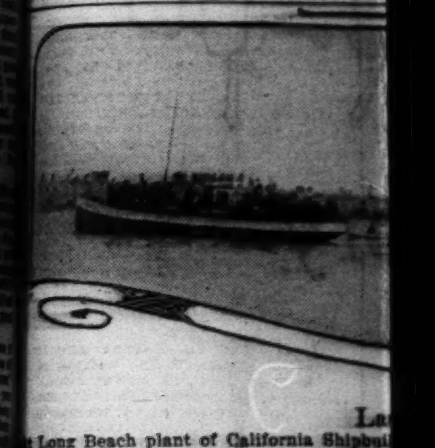

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Assistant United States District Attorney O'Connor insisted that the defendants be compelled to plead to the indictment next Monday, but it was argued in behalf of the defendants that this would not give them time to look over the indictment and determine their course. The indictment covers ninety-six pages of typewritten matter.

Mr. McCormick stated that the accused want an early trial, and an opportunity to vindicate themselves before the community; that there was no desire on their part to play for time, but the situation was such that some time was required to prepare themselves to plead.

S. H. Garrett, one of the defendants, presented an affidavit setting out that he was not financially able to pay for the transcribing of a copy of the indictment, and asked that the court make an order allowing him a copy. Assistant District Attorney O'Connor agreed that Mr. Garrett should have what he desired.

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Bandits Rendezvous

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Official Colors for New Year Football Game
PENNSYLVANIA AGAINST OREGON
Hat Bands, Cockades for Lapels and Swagger Canes With Ribbons Attached
(Ribbon Section—Main Floor)

Every Bedspread in Stock Is in the Sale of White at a Considerable Reduction

Every spread a perfect one; every one worth its original price. In the Sale of White at arbitrary reductions, along with household and decorative linens of all good sorts.

$5 Spreads, $3.75
Extra fine light weight satin spread, scalloped edges and cut corners; for full size bed.

Imported Spreads
The finest Manchester, England, produces—
$6.00 spreads $5.00
$7.00 spreads $6.00
$8.00 spreads $6.50
$10.00 spreads $8.50
$12.00 spreads $10.00

Spreads for Sleeping Porches, $1.95
Dark navy blue; will not show soil; only a hundred of these on sale at this price.

Satin Spreads
90x100; an extra large size to be used where large box mattresses are; fine satin spreads, all reduced.

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Plain or embroidered, all reduced 25%
(Linens; Rear South Aisle)

Large Spreads, $2.95
Extra size, 90x99; one of our finest crochet spreads; the quality sold usually at $3.50 apiece, because they are worth it.

Scalloped Spreads
With cut corners:

Were	Now
$2.00	$1.65
$5.00	$4.25
$8.00	$6.50
$9.00	$7.50
$12.50	$10.50

Bedding In the Sale of White

Our stocks are complete, assortments the best and quality fully up to that high standard by which you always judge Coulter bedding. In the Sale of White.

Blankets Reduced
—In the face of chilly weather, you will be glad to replenish supplies, no doubt; here are blankets white, gray, with colored borders, plaids of all colors, and fancy patterns; from those selling in a regular way at $1.25 to the finest at $30 — prices are now $1.10 to $24.50.

Warm Comforts
—silkoline covered; regularly $1.75 to $4.50, now $1.50 to $4.00; silk covered, regularly $7.50 to $30, now $6.50 to $25.

Steamer Rugs and Motoring Robes
—imported and domestic; regularly $10 to $35, now $8 to $27.50.

Mattresses and Springs
—reduced in like fashion.
(Bedding—Rear South Aisle)

Elegant Suits of Choice Velvet at . . . Half

Probably no material lends itself more gracefully or with better dignity to suits than does velvet. Here are handsome, rich green, brown, burgundy, black and taupe velvet suits. Some of them plain, others trimmed with furs—Hudson seal, taupe fox and mole; all offered at . . HALF

Other Suits—in handsome broadcloths, wool velours, and gabardines in greens, browns, navy, black—many of them trimmed with fur—all greatly reduced, at $26.75 and $31.75.
(Garments; Second Floor)

Linen Waists, Special $3.75
White and colored linens; really beautiful as well as serviceable.

In view of the fact that linens are daily growing scarcer and higher in price, these (since some of them were originally marked as high as $7.50) are extra good values at $3.75
(Waists; Second Floor)

Special Longcloth Prices
Goods that every woman needs for making undermuslins and similar garments, pleasingly underpriced.

In 10-yard Pieces—specially priced at.....$1.39
In 12-yard Pieces—36-inch width; regularly $2.00, piece $1.68
In 12-yard Pieces—yard wide; reg. $2.75..$2.39
In 12-yard Pieces—41-inch; reg. $3.35....$2.98
In 12-yard Pieces—44-inch width; reg. $3.85 .....$3.49
(Wash Goods; Rear South Aisle)

Well Made Lingerie in Sale of White

Only lingerie that will stand the "acid test" of durability, as well as of good appearance, will be found in this sale. We long ago discarded any inferior grades.

Dainty Gowns
Dozens and dozens of pretty styles and trimmings.

Were	Now
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$1.50	$1.00
$1.75	$1.25
$2.25	$1.50
$4.50	$3.00
$5.00	$3.50
$6.00	$4.00
$7.50	$5.00

(Muslinwear; Second Floor)

Envelope Chemise
All the newest styles and materials, from the most practical to the "frilliest"—

Were	Now
$1.00	75c
$1.50	$1.00
$3.00	$2.00
$3.50	$2.25
$4.50	$3.00
$5.00	$3.50
$7.50	$5.00

(Muslinwear; Second Floor)

Reductions on Sheets and Pillow Cases

Coulter SPECIAL TORN AND IRONED SIZE BEFORE HEMMING COULTER DRY GOODS CO. LOS ANGELES

We carry full lines of the famous Pequot Sheets and Cases, in plain hemmed and hemstitched finish; the largest stock we ever had; all will be sold at less than usual prices, because we do not care to carry such a heavy stock of them.

Coulter's Rex Sheets
—torn size 81x90; regular price $1.25 each, special, each.....98c
Cases—regularly 32½ each, special, each 25c

Coulter's Special
Sheets—torn size 81x90; regular price 95c, special, each 75c
Cases—torn size, 45x36; regularly 27½c each 20c
(Domestics; Rear South Aisle)

PEQUOT SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

COULTER'S—215-229 South Broadway 224-228 South Hill Street—COULTER'S

Legal.

SUING TO SAVE GRIFFITH PARK.

Taxpayers Would Enjoin the City Power Lines.

Allege Scheme's Afoot to Violate Gift's Terms.

Causing Big Playground to Revert to Donor.

A large group of citizens and taxpayers, headed by J. M. Patterson, yesterday filed suit through their attorney, Thomas K. Kase, against the city of Los Angeles, Mayor Woodman, the Public Service Commissioner, City Council, City Treasurer and City Auditor, to enjoin them from any use of Griffith Park for business purposes. This suit was filed as the result of information received that Col. Griffith J. Griffith, donor of the park to the city, had recently completed a grant deed with municipal officials that will permit the Municipal Power Bureau to use sections of the park in laying its power transmission lines from San Francisquito Canyon.

Three points are raised in the suit which form the principal grounds for the action. The first is the allegation that any grant deed given by Col. Griffith to the city is invalid because the original action giving the park to the inhabitants of the city for park purposes forever is still in effect.

The second point is brought out as the result of information that certain city officials are seeking to violate the restrictions of the original deed so that the property would return to Col. Griffith, making it possible for him in turn to execute a grant deed. This point declares that as the park was given to the inhabitants for recreation, amusement, health and pleasure, the city cannot go in as a municipality and violate the original deed.

TO RAISE TAXES?

The third and perhaps the strongest point contained in the suit is the assertion that the use of Griffith Park for the purpose of laying transmission lines will increase taxation. The complaint declares that for all intents and purposes the city has a more feasible and more economic route for its transmission lines along its own property, namely, the Los Angeles River bed. This route, the plaintiff states, can be constructed more cheaply and will also obviate the destruction of much valuable property outside of Griffith Park that must be used by the city if their project of passing through the park is carried out.

Col. Griffith first deeded the property to the city for park purposes January 5, 1897. He alone signed the deed. On March 5, 1898, to make the action valid in every respect, another deed, signed by Col. Griffith and his wife, Mrs. Mary Agnes Christina Griffith, was executed. Both deeds contained the same provisions, to wit, limiting the grant for public park purposes only for the inhabitants of Los Angeles City.

When civic officials suddenly declared it to be their intention to put power transmission lines through the park, it was stated that Col. Griffith was about to execute a grant deed. This grant deed would eliminate all restrictions and permit the city to do what they wished with the property. However, it was understood, that in consideration for this grant deed Col. Griffith was to receive about $20,000 for eight acres of the park to be used for the transmission lines, and would be permitted to erect his Greak amphitheater, and would receive power to run it free from the city.

THE ALLEGED PLAN.

But, according to Attorney Kase, this deed has not as yet been filed. Just why this delay ocurred he can explain only by his belief that civic officials are waiting until they can violate the original deed so that the new grant deed will be legal. For if the provisions of the original deed are violated, the property returns to Col. Griffith to do with as he wished. As the original deed declares the property is to be used forever by the inhabitants of Los Angeles for park purposes, Attorney Kase contends the city has no right to violate, as a municipality, the provisions.

SEARCH FOR GUNMAN.

Raid Fishing Villages After Japanese is Shot at Banquet.

Police are raiding the Japanese fishing villages at the beach in an effort to locate the gunman who shot and probably fatally wounded T. Yoshkawa while he was seated at a banquet table in the Yamoto Cafe, No. 313½ Jackson street, Tuesday night.

The identity of the assailant has not been determined, but information was brought to the police yesterday that he had escaped to one of the fishing villages. The Japanese refuse to tell the nature of the quarrel which provoked the shooting. Yoshkawa was armed, and attempted to draw his weapon after he was struck.

Yoshkawa is in the County Hospital. He is paralyzed from the injury, and last night was rapidly sinking. The surgeons at the hospital reported his recovery was doubtful.

STRING MAY DECIDE.

Piece of Twine Material Evidence in Murder Case.

Whether Joe La Vera will be bound over to the Superior Court for trial on a charge of murder may hang on a string. Yesterday his preliminary examination was commenced before Justice Brown, and it will be concluded today.

Much of the evidence submitted by Deputy District Attorney Keyes was in regard to the piece of twine found on the gun used in the commission of Louis Kalfagianes, an undertaker, and a similar strand discovered in the kitchen of the defendant's home.

Attorney Frank Dominguez represented La Vera and made every effort to discredit the evidence introduced by the State. Both sides talked of "too much tampering with witnesses," and the defendant's attorney asked the court to instruct the witnesses not to talk with the detectives who have been working upon the case. The request was denied.

BANK GETS BONDS.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday approved the bid of the Bank of Italy for the $1100 bond issue of the Little San Martin Canyon school district. The bank offered a premium of $42. The other bidder was the State Controller, who offered $20.

Gone?

BIG SUM MISSING.

Unexpected Audit Reveals Alleged Shortage of Ten Thousand Dollars in Oil Company's Accounts—Cashier Held on Embezzlement Charge.

What became of the $10,000 which, it is alleged, should have been on hand, or accounted for, when the books of the Valvoline Oil Company were experted recently, will be threshed out in the Superior Court, as result of Justice Summerfield's refusal yesterday to dismiss the charge of embezzlement against R. J. Venig, former cashier of the concern. His bail was fixed at $5000, which was furnished.

The books of the company were audited unexpectedly, following the death of the manager of the San Francisco branch, which has supervision over the local office. No defense was made at the preliminary hearing.

Tell-tale.

IDENTIFY MAN BY HIS FINGER-NAIL.

VICTIM OF ALLEGED DRUGGING SURE OF COMPANION.

J. E. Brown Must be Tried in Superior Court on Robbery Charge Because Complainant Recognized Deformity Which Could not Escape Notice.

J. E. Brown must be tried in the Superior Court on a charge of robbery because he could not hide a tell-tale disfigurement on his right hand. When a boy he smashed his finger and the nail has been split ever since. Yesterday that nail was identified by A. E. Barrel as the one he saw the day he was drugged and robbed of about $60 and a gold watch. As a result Justice Forbes bound him over for trial.

Mr. Barrel came to Los Angeles recently from Las Vegas, N. M., and upon his arrival at Arcade Station was approached by a stranger who invited him on an excursion that included about all of the North Main street barrooms. That evening he says he and the stranger, who told him his name was Thompson, went to a local hotel, both under the influence of liquor.

"I was not sick" Mr. Barrel told the court "but the man I believed a new friend told me I looked as though I were ill. In fact he kept insisting until I believed him, and when he offered to give me medicine I thanked him and took it. In less than a minute I was unconscious and when I awoke three hours later found that I had been robbed and my friend was gone."

The witness said he saw the "friend" a few days later and accosted him. "I am not Thompson, my name is Jones," he said the defendant told him. Then Mr. Barrel grabbed that disfigured right hand and saw again the split nail. That was enough evidence for him and he held the wily stranger until an officer arrived. The police say Thompson's right name is Brown.

Persistent.

DOUBLE SUICIDE ATTEMPT FAILS.

GOD DIRECTED ME TO DO IT, SAYS FRIENDLESS WOMAN.

Dragged from Rails as Southern Pacific Train Approaches, Woman Gives Man Tongue-lashing, then Tries it All Over Again—Loses Foot in Second Try.

Mrs. Mary H. Gilchrist of No. 1524 Winfield street made two attempts yesterday to end her life on the tracks of the Southern Pacific Railroad, at East Fifty-fifth and Alameda streets. But she succeeded only in losing a foot, and physicians at the County Hospital say she will recover.

Mrs. Gilchrist was frustrated in her first attempt, shortly after daybreak, when W. H. Lepper of No. 1147 East Fifty-third street dragged her from the rails as a train was approaching. For his kindness he was given a tongue-lashing, it is alleged, the woman declaring God had commanded that she ascend to the spirit world at once, and had directed that she end her life under the wheels of a train. Her rescuer escorted her home.

It was not long until the woman hurried back to the same spot from which she had been saved and, waiting until a train came within a few feet of her, jumped headlong at the engine. The impact was so great that she was hurled many feet into the air, and the train crew found she was seriously injured.

The woman was removed to the County Hospital, where it was discovered that amputation of her left foot was necessary, but that she was otherwise not seriously injured.

Mrs. Gilchrist is supposed to have come here from Fowler, Mead county, Kansas. Little is known of her.

STEALS DEFENDANT'S CAR.

Take Automobile of F. M. Steele While in Court.

While Francis M. Steele, former City Attorney of Huntington Park and Azusa, was before Justice Miller of Glendale yesterday on a technical charge, some one stole his automobile which he had parked in front of the Courthouse. This he discovered following the issuance of a new complaint against him.

Mr. Steele was arrested on the 5th, inst., on complaint of the city of Burbank, while he was handling some funds in connection with a position he had as the representative of some of the smaller motor cities before the Railroad Commission. Mr. Steele demanded a jury trial, which was set for January 4.

SELL EIGHTY FOR CASH.

Eighty acres in the vicinity of Tehachapi, Kern county, were sold by H. C. Mason of No. 1017 Mission street, South Pasadena, for $2 an acre, at the office of Hughes & Haines, Receiver Merkel of the Land Office yesterday.

The land is what was known as an isolated tract, and an application for it was made by Angelo Bondurel, who owns an adjoining quarter section. Bondurel was present at the sale, but he did not get his figures above $2.10 an acre, the minimum under the law. Mr. Mason tendered cash.

The Public Service.

At the City Hall.

REAPPOINTED TO BOARD OF WORKS.

LORIN A. HANDLEY TO STAY FOR ANOTHER TERM.

Frank H. Pettingell Succeeds Himself on Library Board and Ralph Criswell Becomes Member of the Civil Service Commission of the City.

The Council yesterday confirmed the appointment by Mayor Woodman of Lorin A. Handley as a member of the Board of Public Works. Mr. Handley is chairman of the board and his present term expires on January 1.

Frank H. Pettingell, president of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, was appointed to succeed himself on the library board, and Ralph Criswell's appointment to the Civil Service Commission to succeed George I. Cochran was confirmed.

Christopher M. Gordon's term as a member of the Board of Harbor Commissioners will expire January 1 and Mayor Woodman said yesterday he will reappoint him. Dr. J. P. Gilmer formally sent in his resignation as a harbor commissioner, to take effect January 1.

The Mayor's effort to reorganize the harbor department by having only one paid commissioner and two unpaid commissioners, and to increase the salaries of Acting Traffic Manager Matson and Chief Clerk Wade, will be opposed in the Council today by Councilmen Topham and Wheeler. Councilman Wheeler is opposed to raising the salaries when the cry is made for reduced taxes and economy, but Mayor Woodman points out that $350 a month will be saved by the change.

Councilman Topham is opposed to Mr. Matson living outside the city and drawing pay from Los Angeles. He said yesterday he will move to amend the harbor ordinance by striking out the increases in salaries.

MORE POLICEMEN.
WILL ADD EIGHTEEN.

Recommending the addition of eighteen officers to the permanent police force the Finance Committee will today advise the Council to pass an appropriation of $9990 to pay the men's salaries from now until the end of the fiscal year. The appropriation is for one lieutenant, two sergeants and fifteen patrolmen.

The Finance Committee held a special session yesterday which was attended by Chief of Police Butler. "We considered four requests from the Police Commission," said Chairman Wheeler. "One was for $1000 for badges which we did not give them. Then they asked for eighteen men as per the ordinance and also for fifty temporary patrolmen. We could not give the fifty, but we will recommend the eighteen. This number will cost $9990 until the end of the fiscal year.

"I would like to draw attention to the fact that we have already allowed the police department $26,110.97 more than the total amount in their budget for the whole fiscal year and but half the year has gone."

MESA DRIVE.
WILL IMPROVE IT.

The long-sought improvement of Mesa drive from Adams street to the north boundary of the city is in sight. The Council yesterday authorized the City Engineer to expend not more than $5650 on the work. It is intended to oil and gravel a twenty-foot road from Palms and build a small bridge.

The Council also instructed the City Engineer to construct a bridge and approaches at Second avenue and Exposition boulevard similar to that at Arlington street and Third avenue, when the opening proceedings are finished.

GIVES RELIEF.
IN BUSINESS DISTRICT.

Because of complaints made by property owners on Olive street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, that autos were parked in front of their premises all day preventing them driving to their own doors, the Council yesterday amended the traffic ordinance by placing the section within the business district, thus affording relief.

Seventh street between Figueroa and Valencia streets and Main street between Pico and Washington streets was placed within the twelve-mile speed limit zone.

FOR TUNNEL.
WILL PAY ITS SHARE.

The Board of Education will pay its assessments on school property in the Second-street tunnel district. This decision was reached by the board's Finance Committee yesterday.

After being informed by C. J. McCormick, representing the board, of this action, Councilman Topham, chairman of the Council's Public Works Committee, spoke in commendatory terms of the co-operation of the Board of Education in this important project.

More Bids Rejected.

Bids for the improvement of Virgil avenue from Fourth street to Wilshire boulevard were rejected by the Board of Public Works yesterday because they exceeded by 12 per cent. the estimate of the City Engineer. New bids will be advertised for. The City Engineer's estimate was $16,629.80 and Chief Deputy City Engineer Hansen told the board that the lowest bid was $1954 higher than his department's estimate.

Salvage Division.

A salvage division is to be put in operation by the department of supplies on January 2. It will be equipped to handle the sale of personal property owned by the city and not further required for municipal use.

Widening Opening.

Ordinances of intention were adopted yesterday for the opening and widening of Fifth street between Olive and Hartman streets, the widening of Sixth street between Olive and Figueroa streets, and the opening of Santa Barbara avenue between Grand and Hoover avenues.

Cover the Gibbons.

The Humane Animal Commission will take over the new city pound at Farmington and Alameda streets January 1, and on the ground is thickly alfalfa, the commission yesterday asked the Board of Public Works to have a coating of gravel spread over the ground. Commissioner Thomas Fox reported that the alfalfa forms excellent food, poised in the form of hay, he also asked that that part of the ground on which the offices and dog kennels are to be built be oiled and rolled.

City Hall Notes.

Further consideration of the new building code was deferred until February 15.

The City Attorney was instructed to draw up an amendment to the ordinance regulating fortune-telling so that all persons holding permits will be required to make application to the Police Commission annually for renewals.

At the Courthouse.

OUT OF FRYING PAN INTO FIRE.

MAN RELEASED IN ARIZONA IS ARRESTED HERE.

Liberado Rivera, Associate of the Magons, is Held to Answer to Superior Court on Charge of Contributing to Delinquency of Small Children—Denies It.

Following on the heels of his release from custody in Arizona, where he was under arrest, with Flores Magon and Antonio Villeral, on a charge of fomenting a Mexican revolution, Liberado Rivera was arraigned before Superior Judge Reeve yesterday on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of several small children. Unable to furnish $1500 bond, the prisoner was remanded to jail, and his case was set for a hearing on January 4.

Police Detective Rico arrested the Mexican at Edendale, where, it is charged, he was living with Mrs. Dionicia Hernandez and her three children, Alfonso, Angela and Alexander Hernandez. The officer alleges that Rivera induced the woman to leave her husband, and she took the youngsters with her.

Attorney Ryckman, who was employed by Rivera to defend him, states that his client told him Mrs. Hernandes and the children came to him in a destitute condition and he took her in, out of the goodness of his heart, and he intends to marry the woman as soon as he can legally do so.

GETS DAMAGES.
NEGLIGENCE NOT PROVED.

Whether Frank R. Parsons was negligent, when his automobile bumped into a truck being towed by another truck and safeguarded by a white, instead of a red light, was decided by Judge Hewitt in Mr. Parsons's favor yesterday. Mr. Parsons brought suit against the Pacific Coast Wichita Truck Company, S. A. Rinehart, E. M. Hackett and C. F. Coates for $30,475 damages for injuries he sustained and damages to his machine by reason of the accident on the Whittier boulevard December 12, 1915.

Mr. Parsons alleged that the night was foggy, and that, while driving along the boulevard, he saw a white light ahead of him. Later he discovered that the light was suspended from the forward truck. He said he could not tell whether the truck was approaching him or going in the other direction. He mistook it, however, for a car approaching and turned to the right to avoid a collision and struck the rear truck. The truck people contended that he was guilty of contributory negligence. Judge Hewitt gave Mr. Parsons judgment for $850.

GETS JUDGMENT.
TOO CLOSE TO CURB.

Ernest Kirk bought a property in Vermont Square from the Parkes King Building Company in August, 1915, giving part cash, promissory notes and a trust deed for the balance. The lot and bungalow were subject to a mortgage of $2000. He moved into the bungalow, but found that the original owners of the tract, the Southwestern Land Company, had previously notified the building company that the house violated the conditions of the deed by being built too close to the curb.

Mr. Kirk brought suit to rescind the contract on the ground that the building company had not disclosed to him a material fact. But, meantime, the building company had sold the contract to B. Butcher. Judge Shenk tried the case and gave judgment to Mr. Kirk, rescinding the contract without prejudice to Mr. Butcher.

IN AND OUT
ABOUT THE COURTS.

ALL TO WIDOW. The will of F. Bruce Wetherby, who died at his Pasadena home the 7th inst., confirms the conveyance of his interest in the Wetherby-Kayser Shoe Company and of the home property to his wife, Maria Visscher Wetherby. Provision for the children, Henry V. and Christine Wetherby, is left to the widow, in whom Mr. Wetherby expresses the greatest confidence. The will, which was filed for probate yesterday by Mrs. Wetherby, gave the value of the estate as not less than $20,000.

RECOVERS JUDGMENT. The Western Indemnity Company recovered judgment yesterday in Judge Hewitt's court for $728 against the Spicer & Watson Company growing out of the death of J. F. La Salle during the construction of the Robinson Building in West Seventh street, July 6, 1914. The indemnity company as insurer's carrier under the Workman's Compensation Act had been ordered by the commission to pay the widow and minor child $2025. Mr. La Salle was employed by the Whiting-Mead Commercial Company, and the contractors of the building were the defendants. Mr. La Salle's death was caused by a falling wall.

INCORPORATIONS. The Pacific Pharmacal Company, incorporators Simeon D. Strehle, George M. Franke and Marion C. Holbrook; capital stock $10,000, subscribed $10,000.

TO INCREASE FORCE.

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday officially indorsed the proposed plan of adding fifty officers to the present police force. The president of the chamber, Jonathan S. Mitchell, was authorized to appoint a special committee to represent the organization before the Police Commission, the Mayor and Council in any conference that may be held relative to increasing the force.

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Coats—$22.50 to $29.50 Models..$14.95
Coats—$39.50 to $49.50 Models..$24.75
Coats—$49.50 to $65.00 Models..$31.50

387 Suits in the Lot
Suits—$25.00 to $29.50 Models....$14.95
Suits—$39.50 to $45.00 Models....$22.75
Suits—$45.00 to $57.50 Models....$27.75

Dresses, Many Styles
Dresses—$25.00 to $30.00 Models..$14.75
Dresses—$35.00 to $39.50 Models..$21.75
Dresses—$39.50 to $45.00 Models..$29.75

Dress Skirts in Sale
Skirts—$ 7.50 to $10.00 Models....$5.00
Skirts—$12.50 to $15.00 Models....$7.50
Evening Gowns .....$16.75 to $38.75

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